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ADMIRAL SAMPSON SUNK IN PUGET SOUND

GREAT BATTLE MAY BE DECIDING POINT IN WESTERN EUROPE

British Forces at Mons Withstand Furious German Attacks—Russian Armies Are Advancing All Along Line Sweeping Enemy Back in Own Territory

London, Aug. 26.—The great battle which is now in full swing along the whole French, British and Belgian line is really a series of linked battles forming what may well be the decisive engagement of Western Europe. It is a supreme effort by Germany to break into France, an effort which, if stopped, must mean disaster to three-quarters of a million German soldiers.

There seems to be no soldiers left to guard the German line of communication. All is being hazarded on the success or the failure of this blow. The German advance has been rapid and steady. Their columns have averaged twenty miles a day since they reached Brussels.

British Withstood Six Furious Attacks.

German forces delivered an attack on the French southern frontier yesterday (Tuesday). They were repulsed and retired all along the line.

In the fighting near Mons the British bore the brunt of six furious attacks. Wounded British soldiers declare that the allies raised a veritable hecatomb of German corpses near Mons.

Belgian Operations Continued All Night.

A dispatch from Antwerp to the Exchange Telegraph Company says the Belgian operations beyond Malines were continued throughout last night. The Belgian forces succeeded in destroying defensive works constructed by the Germans.

Russia Again Victorious Over Germany.

The Russian embassy is in receipt of telegrams from the general staff at St. Petersburg which announce fresh Russian victories against both Germany and Austria.

These messages declare that Russian troops now occupy the whole of the eastern and southern half of Eastern Prussia.

Centre of Czar's Army Marching on Posen.

According to a dispatch from St. Petersburg to the Exchange Telegraph Company, German troops retreating in the direction of Osterode, East Prussia, left behind them about 100 pieces of artillery. The Russian chief of staff announces that since Sunday the Russian invasion of Galicia and Prussia continued uninterruptedly along a wide front.

While the Russian right wing is invading Prussia and the left wing entering Galicia, the Russian centre, composed of the great bulk of the army, is believed to be marching silently but with terrible force on Posen, the correspondent adds.

Russians Sweeping in Over Frontier.

The Times' St. Petersburg correspondent says that the Germans who retreated by forced marches after their defeat by the Russians at Gumbinnen are assembling a part of their force at Koenigsburg. The German fortified position on the river Angerab was abandoned without fighting.

"The roads beyond the Angerab are strewn with cartridges, knapsacks and equipment cast aside in the hasty flight of the German troops," says the Times correspondent.

"North of Neidenburg Sunday and Monday there was stubborn fighting in which the Russians were again victorious, largely through their superb use of the bayonet. The enemy here had assembled the entire twentieth army corps in a fortified position.

"The Russians had to negotiate pits and barbed wire. Hand grenades were used, the Russians finally carrying the positions at the point of the bayonet. The Germans retreated toward Osterode, leaving behind many guns, machine guns, caissons and prisoners."

Best Force Won and That Was Russian.

"Meanwhile the Vilna army is driving the first German army corps toward Danzig. The question now is whether the German forces can escape and how long the Russians will take in occupying the territory east of the river Vistula. There they will find strong German defences. It is reported that the Russians on Monday reached Marienburg, only 25 miles from Danzig.

"The Germans at Gumbinnen had all the advantages of numbers and position. It was a clear case of the best man winning. Russia was the best. The Russian losses include representatives of all the noblest families in the empire.

"The Grand Duke Dmitrio Pavlovitch and the Princes John and Oleg Constantinovitch, who are subalterns in the Horse Guards, rode in the terrible charges which will forever be a glory to their regiment and the Russian army."

Paris, Aug. 26.—The war office did not issue its usual early evening statement. No reason for the lack of official announcement to-day was given. It was expected that an announcement would be made to-n

CHARLEROI BATTLE SECOND BALAKLAVA

Carnage in Streets So Terrible That Dead Remained Standing Upright

STRICKEN TOWN IS RETAKEN BY FRENCH

Turcos Swarmed German Battery and Bayonetted All the Gunners

London, Aug. 26.—Returning from the front, a correspondent of the Times sends the following under a Paris date: "At Mons the British troops have made themselves at home. Preparations for the city's defence were extremely comforting in their workmanlike detail. In the woods lurked innumerable field guns. Everywhere in the town confidence was dominant.

"With heavy firing audible in the distance, British soldiers can sit quietly on the banks of the canal, calmy fishing with bayoneted rifles as fishing rods. The spectacle inspired confidence, even though from all directions the presence of the dread German cavalry is reported."

The next day the correspondent proceeded to Tourni, where he found the populace in great alarm. Six German cavalrymen motored into town and inquired if there were any French soldiers there. They were told there were none, but later in the day French troops entered the place and killed the six Germans. The next morning a large force of German attacked the town and was repulsed.

Proceeding to Valciennes, the correspondent found that troop trains filled with British soldiers were continually arriving there. The British officers were in absolute possession of the refreshment bars and no food was obtainable. The correspondent continues: "Near Charleroi I heard some stories of the bravery of the French soldiers. The German were bombarding the city. The French troops made what amounted to a medieval sortie, but finding the enemy in much greater force than was expected were compelled to withdraw.

"The bombardment continued relentlessly, whereupon French Turcos, picked troops from Algeria, debouched from the town and with a gallantry which must surely live in history, charged the Germany battery and bayonetted all the gunners. Their losses, it is said, exceeded those of the Light Brigade at Balaklava. Of a battalion only 100 men, it is reported, returned unscathed. Their bravery, however, was powerless against the German advance, which crept foot by foot through the outskirts of Charleroi to the very heart of the town.

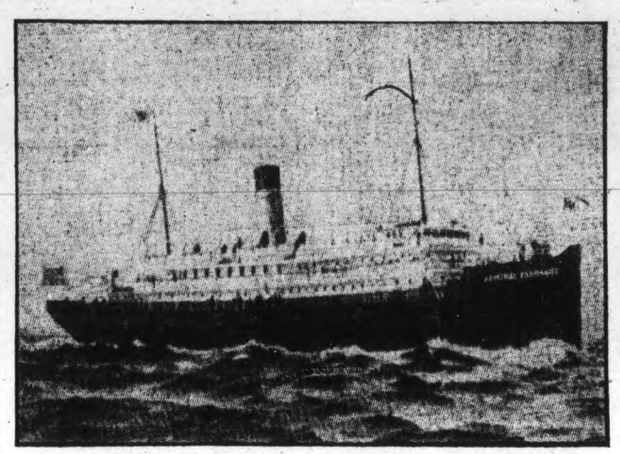
"There in the narrow streets the carnage was indescribable. The French infantrymen told me that the roads became so jammed with dead that the killed remained standing upright where they had been shot.

"The last stand of the French was made before the railway station in front of which passes the canal. Here the Germans fought for two hours to take the bridges. After they had captured the station with heavy casualties the Germans moved rapidly ahead, taking various suburban villages."

"Later on Sunday the French artillery in its turn opened fire on the stricken town of Charleroi. The Germans in the earlier stages of the engagement had poured shells on the upper part of the town. The French now emptied their hail of shells on the tower section of the town and under a supporting fire from their artillery the French infantry advanced slowly in the face of a stubborn resistance on the town they had just evacuated, retaking several villages and becoming once more masters of the line between Thuen (eight miles southwest of Charleroi) at Metz. At six in the evening the fighting ceased, both sides being worn out. On the next morning before dawn the French artillery again bombarded Charleroi and once more the troops of France swarmed the slope toward the lower part of the town, recapturing the villages of Chatelet, Bouffoulx, Marchienne and Couillet.

"In the face of a withering fire from the German mitrailleuses, the French again entered the town of Charleroi and after furious fighting drove the Germans in confusion across the Sambre river. The French entered a city littered with dead, battered by shellfire and devastated by every instrument of modern war.

"Outside a dilapitated inn could be seen the figure of a German officer, the head bowed over a basin of water and the lather of soap dry on the face. He had been shot while in the act of washing. Another officer lay across a table, his hand holding aloft a coffee cup which he was raising to his lips when death found him. In every part of the city houses were in flames or smouldering and every cellar was occupied by terror-stricken inhabitants."



LOST STEAMSHIP ADMIRAL SAMPSON

TABLE OF DISTANCES

	Miles
Russian frontier to Berlin	180
Paris to Brussels	200
Paris to Namur	191
Brussels to Liege	33
Brussels to Namur	35
Paris to Verdun	175
Verdun to Metz	42
Paris to Nancy	220
Nancy to Strassburg	74
Paris to Belfort	275
Belfort to Muelhausen	31
Muelhausen to Basel	21
Muelhausen to Colmar	28
Colmar to Strassburg	41
Basel to Strassburg	89

BRITISH WELCOMED BY BELGIAN PEOPLE

Troops Went Into Action at 3 a. m. Under Protection of Artillery Fire

London, Aug. 26.—"At last the British army is at grips with the Germans," says the Ostend correspondent of the Daily Mail. "It was a great moment when the British general staff with their men arrived. The inhabitants went mad with enthusiasm. 'The British army has come to Belgium,' exclaimed the townspeople gleefully and nothing was too good for them. They had no difficulty in obtaining needed provisions. The populace was eager to provide for the visitors who requisitioned eggs, bread, butter and coffee. All requisitions were paid for in gold.

"The civil population was ordered to retire in the direction of France. The people regretfully shouldered their bags of belongings and passed silently down the road.

"The troops advanced to battle positions at 3 o'clock in the morning. At 4 o'clock eight German aeroplanes appeared, whereupon a flock of British aeroplanes rose like birds to drive them away.

"When the artillery began to talk and the air became thick with cannon powder the great battle had begun. Forward went the infantry. Rifle fire and Maxim fire added to the boom of the big guns. Sunrise mingled with the glow of the burning forests and the flash of guns.

"This was Monday. The battle continued Tuesday and probably will continue for several days, either alone or merging with the battles on the left and right."

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND MAKES GIFT OF OATS

Ottawa, Aug. 26.—Prince Edward Island's contribution to the mother country will be one hundred thousand bushels of oats. Announcement to that effect has been received by the government. The island government promises a further gift later on.

JAPAN TO LAY SIEGE AGAINST KIAU CHAU

New York, Aug. 26.—The Japanese attack on Tsing Tau, the fortified port of Kiau Chau, German leased territory in China, has failed and the Japanese are preparing for a siege, according to a cable message received here to-day by Count von Bernstorff, German ambassador to the United States, from the German embassy at Peking.

TO JOIN H. M. S. HEARTY.

London, Aug. 26.—Lieut. F. W. Evans, of the Royal Naval Reserve, a son of F. W. Evans, of Vancouver, and H. A. Reid, son of the Vancouver harbormaster, have been appointed to H. M. S. Hearty.

TWO FORTS ONLY AT NAMUR ARE SILENT

Correspondent Obtained Story From Belgian Officer That Germans Had City

Wires Charged With Electricity; Broken Glass Used in Effort to Stop Invaders

London, Aug. 26.—The Paris correspondent of the Times, on the battlefield early in the fighting, says he met a few miles outside of Philippeville a Belgian officer and the paymaster-general of Namur, who told him the town of Namur had been occupied by Germans. It had been subjected to a furious bombardment, and the German fire was so well regulated that the first few shots silenced Fort Marchevlette on the northeast and Fort Maizere on the east. Fort Andoi also suffered badly and was almost out of action.

The story continues: "The Germans entered the town without encountering much resistance. Fort Dave, at the southeast of the town, and Fort Wepienon, on the opposite side of the Meuse, and the line of forts to the north still resist.

"In spite of the elaborate wire entanglements, through which was passed an electrical current of 1,500 volts, and the liberal use of broken glass, Namur fell into the hands of the Germans on Sunday.

"The Belgians evacuated the town in an orderly manner. All rolling stock and motor cars were removed, and the station-master left on the locomotive with the railway cash box under his arm. The Belgian troops, numbering about 3,000, passed under the protection of a French cavalry screen within the French lines."

The correspondent adds: "Thus the Germans have done much to win mastery over the two banks of the Meuse almost as far as Dinant. They, however, left behind them six of the eight forts at Namur, which, it is expected, will yet cause them considerable annoyance."

RUSSIAN CAVALRY RODE TO DEATH AND GERMAN FORCE RAN

Paris, Aug. 26.—A report was in circulation this afternoon that Russian troops yesterday occupied Marienburg, in East Prussia, 27 miles southeast of Danzig. This news has not been confirmed.

St. Petersburg, Aug. 26.—The Novoe Vremya publishes an account of what it terms the memorable charge of the Russian Horse Guards at Gumbinnen during the recent fighting in which the Russians were victorious. It says: "The Germans held a position in a small village, from which they were pouring a murderous fire on the Russian troops. Cavalry was ordered to silence the guns. The first squadron rode straight at the battery, which, firing point blank, mowed down the Russian ranks frightfully, annihilting the squadron. The second squadron followed fast and would have shared the same fate, except that at a critical moment a third squadron rushed onto the enemy from the flank, sabred the gunners and routed the whole German force.

"The Germans ran like rabbits, discarding swords, helmets and clothing in their mad haste to escape the avenging Russian horsemen.

"One squadron of Nizhni Hussars, who all are famous swordsmen, cut down seventy Germans without receiving a scratch in return."

PRINCESS VICTORIA STRIKES STEAMSHIP AT POINT NO POINT

Eleven Lost This Morning When Pacific Alaska Company's Vessel Carrying Fifty-Six Passengers and Crew of Sixty-Five Went Down Four Minutes After Collision

Seattle, Aug. 26.—Eleven lives were lost when the passenger steamer Admiral Sampson, of the Pacific Alaska Navigation Company, was rammed and sunk by the C. P. R. passenger liner Princess Victoria off Point No Point, 20 miles north of Seattle at 6.30 o'clock this morning during fog, and thick smoke from forest fires. The Princess Victoria brought the survivors to Seattle. Eight of the lost were members of the crew, and two were passengers.

Captain Drowned, Could Have Saved Himself.

Captain Moore could have saved himself, but he declared that he would go down with the ship, and did so.

The passengers lost are: A. L. Button, tourist, New York city, fatally burned by explosion of oil tank, died just after reaching Seattle.

G. W. Bryant, painter, bound for Seward, Alaska.

Mrs. Ruby Banbury, wife of George Banbury, clerk for Grand Trunk Pacific Steamship Company, Seattle.

The dead among the crew are: Captain Z. S. Moore, Third Officer L. Cocams, First Wireless Operator W. E. Ricker, Stewardess Miss Campbell, Seaman C. Marquette, Watchman A. Sater, Chief Engineer Allen J. Noon, Newsboy J. R. Williams.

The Admiral Sampson sailed for Alaska at 4.30 this morning. Among her passengers were T. C. McCurnin, of the Alaska Gastineau Mining Company, and twenty structural steel workers for Juneau; James Wallace, private secretary to President H. F. Alexander, of the Admiral line, and A. T. Budd and A. L. Button, of New York city, round trip tourists.

Collision Sent Ship Down in Four Minutes.

The Admiral Sampson had on board fifty-six passengers and the crew numbered sixty-five. The ship settled quickly after receiving the blow and sank beneath the surface in four minutes. She was bound from Seattle to Alaska. The Admiral Watson, bound for San Francisco, was near the scene when the collision occurred.

It is believed that the Admiral Sampson is a total loss.

The Princess Victoria was bound from Vancouver to Seattle.

Point No Point is on the mainland at the southwest entrance to the body of water generally designated on the maps as Admiralty Inlet.

The Admiral Sampson was a steel steamer of 2,262 gross tons, built at Philadelphia in 1898 for the United Fruit Company for use in the banana and tourist trade to the West Indies from Philadelphia. She was purchased by the Pacific Alaska Navigation Company several years ago and brought to Seattle via the Strait of Magellan.

STATEMENT BY CAPTAIN TROUP ON WRECK

Captain J. W. Troup, manager of the B. C. Coast Service of the C. P. R., gave an official statement to the Times this afternoon, as follows:

"Captain Hickey reported to me by wire early this morning that the Princess Victoria had been in collision with the Admiral Sampson near Point No-Point and that the latter vessel had sunk a few minutes later. The collision occurred at six o'clock in a dense fog. Captain Hickey held the bow of his vessel in the rent as long as he could, backing out only when he saw that the Sampson was on the point of sinking and that there was danger for the Victoria hanging on longer.

"Meanwhile the Victoria had got out all her boats and the Sampson had got out two of hers. The latest information I have is that Captain Moore, his chief engineer, six members of the crew and three passengers lost their lives. Considering the depth of water in the channel which the two steamers were in, the probability is that the Sampson will prove a total loss.

"Captain Hickey is one of our oldest and most trusted masters, and he has been with the Princess Victoria for ten years. He is an exceedingly careful navigator and I have every confidence in him. I have not the slightest doubt that when the circumstances are investigated it will be found that no blame whatever attaches to him. He himself was on the bridge at the time."

When the news reached Seattle the agents of the company there made arrangements for a morning boat for Victoria, and secured the Chippewa, which left for this port about eleven o'clock with the passengers and mails. The Princess Alice, which has been on the night run from Vancouver to Victoria for the past few days, will sail from the mainland city for Seattle to-night and will take over the Victoria's sailings on the triangular run until she is able to return to service. It is understood here that the Victoria is damaged about the stem, but not very seriously, and she will come over for repair at once. The Sampson was struck about the engine room.

Presumably there will be an investigation by the United States authorities immediately, and there may be another by the Canadian department of marine's wreck commissioner here later on.

ROYAL REGIMENT IS NOW ASSIGNED TO BERMUDA

Halifax, N. S., Aug. 26.—Some three or four hundred of the Royal Regiment will shortly leave for Bermuda to release British regiments stationed there and which are going to England. The Royal Canadians are to be recruited up to a thousand strong. The places of the R. C. R. at Sydney and Canso will be taken by militia corps, which are also being strengthened up to their complement before the volunteers leave for Valcartier.

Late war news dispatches on page 11.

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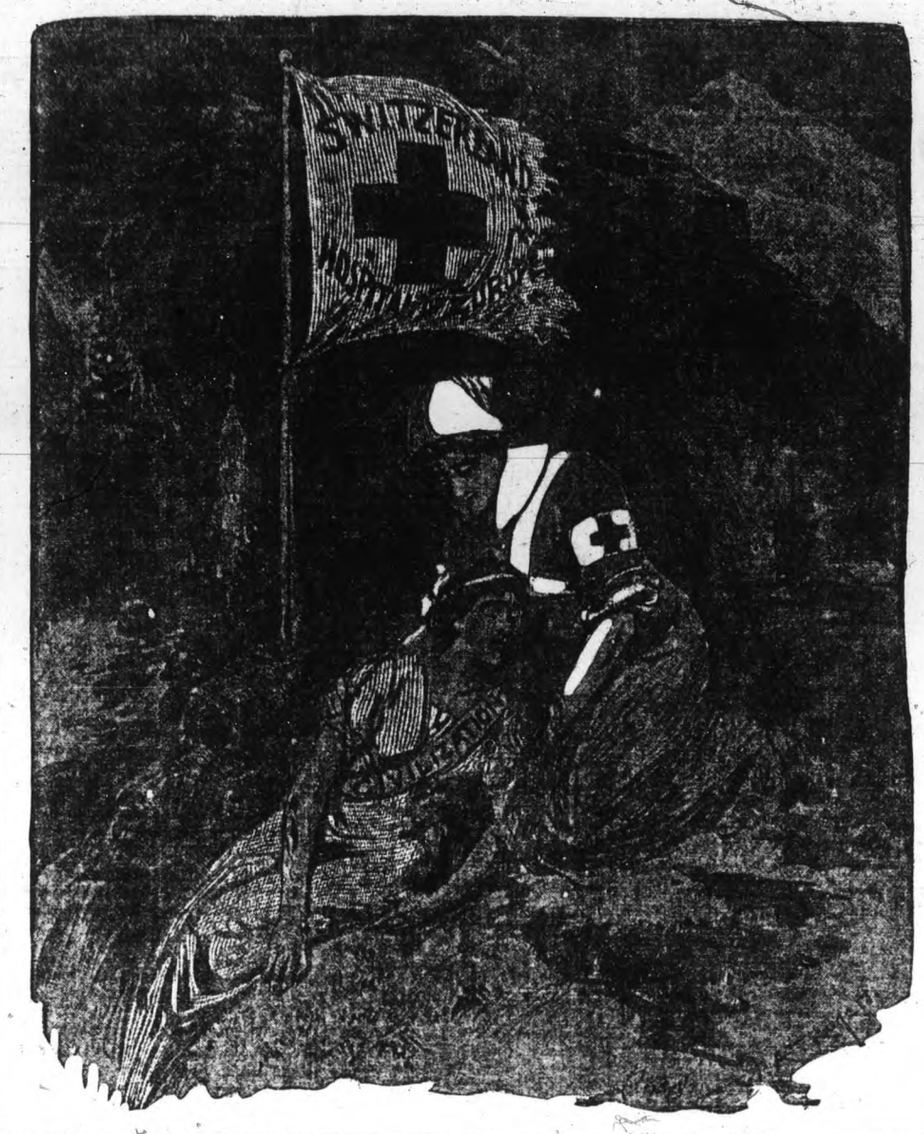

FORTY DIVISIONS OF BRITISH FOR BATTLE

Kitchener Says Strength Will Be Kept Up If Needed in Europe

London, Aug. 25.—"We have heard this morning from Sir John French, commander of the British forces on the continent," Premier Asquith informed the members of the House of Commons this afternoon, "that the withdrawal of his troops to a new position was successfully effected. It was not accomplished without considerable loss. They were pressed hard by the enemy, who, however, were shaken off.

"It is not desirable to say anything more at the present moment, except that the field marshal reports that in spite of hard marching and hard fighting, the British forces are in the best of spirits. He estimates his casualties at something over 2,000, but we have not yet received any names."

The British official news bureau issued the following announcement tonight:

"There has been no further general engagement. The condition of the British troops is in every way satisfactory."

Lord Kitchener alluded to Premier Asquith's statement in the House of Commons that the British troops had greatly aided the French and had been able to maintain their positions in the face of fierce German attacks. He said that he sent a telegram to Sir John French, the commander of the British expeditionary force, reading as follows: "Congratulations to the troops on their splendid work. We are proud of them."

Continuing, Lord Kitchener pointed out that the fighting in Europe would result in greater casualties than the campaigns Great Britain usually was engaged in. He said he was sure that the public was fully prepared to meet whatever losses and sacrifices the country might have to face, and he paid a tribute to the readiness of the expeditionary force and the invaluable aid of the press and public in preserving silence, accepting the novel situation.

"We know how deeply the French people appreciate and value the prompt assistance," Lord Kitchener continued, "that we have been able to afford them at the very outset of the war, not only in giving moral and material support, but our troops must also prove a factor of high military significance in restricting the sphere and determining the duration of hostilities.

"If the conditions of strategy had permitted, everyone in this country would have rejoiced if they could have been ranged alongside the gallant Belgian army against the desperate odds which have been witnessed. But although the privilege, perforce, has been denied us, Belgium knows of our sympathy with her in her sufferings and our indignation at the blows which have been inflicted upon her, and also of our resolution to make sure that none of her sacrifices will have been unavailing.

"While other countries engaged in this war have under their systems of compulsory services brought their full resources into the field, we under our national system, have not been compelled. Therefore, we still have a vast reserve to draw from the resources of both the mother country and the dominions.

"The response which already has been made by the Dominions abundantly proves that we have not looked in vain to these sources of military strength, and while India, Canada, Australia and New Zealand are sending powerful contingents, the territorials of this country are replying loyalty to the stern call of duty, which has come to them with such exceptional force.

"Over seventy battalions have, with fine courage, already volunteered for service abroad. When they are trained and organized in larger formations they will be able to take their places in the line.

"The 100,000 men asked for in the first place have been virtually secured.

"The empire with which we are at war has called to the colors almost its entire male population. The principle we, on our part, shall observe is this:

"That while the maximum force undergoes constant diminution, the reinforcements we prepare will steadily and increasingly flow out until we have an army in the field which, while in numbers is small, will not be small in quality.

"I cannot say at this stage what will be the limits of the force required, or what may eventually become necessary to maintain.

"The scale of the field army which we are now calling into being is large, and may rise in the course of the next six or seven months to the proportion of a total of forty divisions to be continually maintained in the field.

"But if the war should be protracted, and if its fortunes should be varied or adverse, exertions and sacrifices beyond any which have been demanded will be required from the whole nation and empire. And where they are required, we are sure they will not be denied to the extreme needs of the state by parliament or the people."

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WONDERFUL SHOOTING BY BRITISH AT MONS

Cardinals on Way to Rome Bless Wounded Soldiers Being Taken to Paris

London, Aug. 26.—The correspondent of the Central News at Paris sends the following: "I have been talking with British officers on the front, who tell of the wonderful coolness and daring of the British soldiers in the fighting around Mons.

"The shooting of the British infantrymen on the firing line was wonderful. Every time a German head showed above a trench, and every time the German infantry attempted to rush a position there came a steady withering rifle fire from the khaki-clad men lying in extended formation along the wide battle front.

"Their firing was not the usual firing of nervous men shooting without aiming; rather it was the calm and careful marksmanship one sees on British rifle ranges, when men fire with all the artificial aids permitted the match expert.

"When quick action was necessary the men showed no nervousness, no excitement; they showed the cool methodical efficiency for which the British army is noted.

"If the British lost heavily, the Germans must have last terribly. One of the German prisoners said:

"'We had never expected anything like it; it was staggering.'

"The British troops went to their positions silently, but happily. There was no singing, because it was forbidden, but as the men deployed to the trenches there were various English and Scottish counties. The cockney was there with quibs about 'Uncle Bill'; and every Irishman who went into the firing line wished he had money to buy a little Irish horse so that he might take 'a tap at the Uhlans.'

"As for the cavalry, the officers declare their charges against the Germans were superb. They charged as Berserks might have done. They gave the Uhlans the surprise of their lives.

"With the close of the first series of combats between the British and Germans, the scene of interest shifted to the Paris army station, where the injured British soldiers were being taken. The handling of the wounded was all that could be desired; everything was perfectly organized and without theatrical display.

"The station at the time was crowded with Americans on their way to England from Switzerland. The Americans joined with the French in cheering the first arrivals of the British wounded from the scene of the fighting.

"I witnessed a notable scene on the road between Boulogne and Paris. Two English cardinals, Cardinal Bourne, Archbishop of Westminster, and Cardinal Gasquet, president of the English Benedictines, were on their way from London to the conclave at Rome. Their train stopped on a siding, and by a curious chance a regiment of British troops, which included in its ranks a large body of Irish Catholics, was drawn up alongside for a moment. The cardinals leaned out of the window and gave the soldiers their blessing, which the Irish soldiers by spontaneous impulse knelt to receive."

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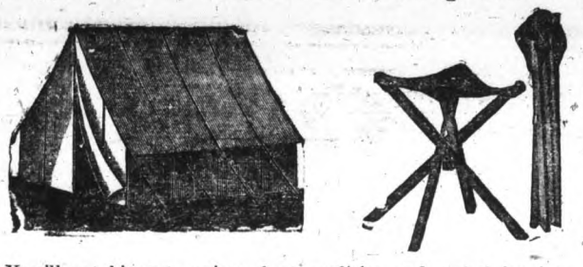

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KIAU CHAU GERMANS WILL FIGHT TO DEATH

Jeking Without Much News; Japan's Request on War Area Declined.

Peking, Aug. 25.—A letter received here from an American at Tsing Tau, the seaport of the German territory of Kiau Chau, says it is considered there that Emperor William's cablegram to the garrison to resist to the uttermost is virtually the death warrant of every member of the force.

The Germans are detaining by force a large number of coolies, evidently for military labor in and about Tsing Tau. The writer of the letter says furthermore that Horace Remillard, American vice-consul at Tsing Tau, who left before railroad communication was broken, took with him the archives of the American, British and Russian consulates.

Peking has no information of the landing of Japanese forces at Kiau Chau. The British and French regiments, which supposedly are to take part in the land operations against Kiau Chau are still at Tien Tsin.

The Japanese minister to China visited the foreign office yesterday and requested the removal of the limitation to thirty miles on the fighting area around Tsing Tau, which had ben fixed by the Chinese. The foreign office declined his request.

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M'GILL'S PROSPECTS.

Ottawa, Aug. 26.—Capt. Ernie Paisley, Jack Hall, president of the McGill union, Dud Ross and Coach Frank Shaughnessy, of the Intercollegiate champions, were in conference here, mapping out a campaign for the approaching rugby season. It is said McGill will not only have the majority of last year's stars back, but will be further strengthened by the addition of Rodden and Kennedy, of Queen's, and Silver Quilty, the great Ottawa line plunger.

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Newport, R. I., Aug. 26.—M. E. McLoughlin, of San Francisco, and T. C. Bundy, of Los Angeles, won the lawn tennis doubles championship of the United States for the third time yesterday. Two tall silver vases, which have been awaiting permanent claimants since 1910, became the personal property of the Californians after they had disposed of Dean Mathey, of Cranford, N. J., and George M. Church, of New York, in straight sets. The scores were 6-4, 6-2, 6-4.

ELECTED DIRECTOR.

London, Aug. 26.—Cecil Lubbock yesterday was elected a director of the Hudson's Bay Co.

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DETAILS OF FIGHTING OVER EXTENDED FRONT

British and French Defending Against Attack of Immense German Army

Paris, Aug. 26. — The war office has issued the following official announcement:

"The commander-in-chief, requiring all available force on the Meuse, has ordered the progressive abandonment of occupied territory. Muelhausen has again been evacuated.

"A new battle is in progress between Maubeuge department of the Nord) and Donon (in Central Vosges). On it hangs the fate of France. Operations in Alsace along the Rhine would take away troops upon which might depend victory. It is necessary that they all withdraw from Alsace temporarily to secure its final deliverance. It is a matter of hard necessity.

"West of the Meuse, on orders issued Sunday by the commander-in-chief, the troops which are to remain on the covering line to take up the defensive are massed as follows:

"The French and British troops occupy a front passing near Givet, which they gained by hard fighting. They the holding their adversaries and sharply checking their attacks. East of the Meuse our troops have regained their original positions, commanding the roads out of the great forest of Ardennes. To the right we assumed the offensive, driving back the enemy by a vigorous onslaught, but Gen. Joffre stopped pursuit so as to reestablish his front along the line decided upon on Sunday. In this attack our troops showed admirable dash, the 6th corps, notably, inflicting punishment on the enemy close to cover.

"In Lorraine the two armies have begun a combined attack, one end starting from the Grand Couronne de Nancy and the other from south of Luneville. The engagement, which began yesterday (Monday), continues at the time of writing. The sound of cannonading is not heard at Nancy, as it was yesterday.

"The 15th corps, which suffered heavily in the last fight, had the gaps in its ranks filled and formed part of one of the two armies. It executed a brilliant counter-attack in the valley of the Vezouse. The attitude of the troops was splendid, effacing all memory of their conduct on August 20.

"Notwithstanding the fatigue of the three days' battle and the losses they have undergone, the morale of the troops is excellent, and they are anxious to resume the fighting. The outstanding incident on Sunday was the fight between Algerian and Senegalese riflemen and the Prussian Guards. Our African soldiers hurled themselves with unbridled fury on this solid body and the attack became a hand-to-hand combat, in which the Guards suffered heavily. The German emperor's uncle, General Prince Adalbert, was killed and his body was taken to Charleroi.

"Our armies will continue their magnificent effort in the knowledge that they are fighting in the cause of civilization. All Frence follows the struggle calmly and with strong heart. The sons of France are supported by the heroic Belgians, who have recaptured Malines, and the courageous British army. Meanwhile the Russians are marching along the roads of East Prussia and the invasion of Germany is progressing.

"In the north detachments of German cavalry which appeared on Sunday in the neighborhood of Lille, Roubaix and Tourceing were observed yesterday near Doux. This cavalry cannot advance much further without risk of falling into the allies' lines, which have been reinforced by the French troops."

JAPAN AND AUSTRIA ARE NOW AT WAR

London, Aug. 26.—A dispatch from Vienna to the Reuter Telegram Co., via Amsterdam, gives the official announcement that the Austrian government, on Tuesday, handed his passports to the Japanese ambassador. The Austrian ambassador at Tokio, it is also announced, has been recalled.

It is supposed that the state of war is due to Austria's having ordered the cruiser Kaiserin Elizabeth to join the German fleet at Tsing Tau.

London, Aug. 26. — A Central News dispatch from Paris states positively that Austria has declared war on Japan.

PROTESTS HURLING OF BOMBS INTO ANTWERP

Nine Hundred Houses Damaged by Explosives Dropped From the Sky

London, Aug. 26.—A bomb dropping exploit of the Zeppelin airship at Antwerp promises to become a matter of widest international consideration. The Belgian authorities assert the attack was a clear violation of article 26 of the fourth Hague convention, and they are preparing to protest officially to all the powers against this manner of warfare. Accounts vary as to the amount of damage done by the aerial fighter. One account says 26 lives were lost, although from more conservative sources it is reported that only 12 bodies have been recovered from the ruins of the wrecked houses.

A dispatch which is regarded as semi-official states that 900 houses were slightly damaged and 60 were nearly destroyed. This dispatch was sent to London, it is said, after a committee which included the Belgian secretary of state, the Russian ambassador, the papal nuncio and King Albert's secretary had examined the entire city with a view of appraising the results of the aerial bombardment. This dispatch, published by the Chronicle, says: "For the first time in history a great civilized community has been bombarded from the sky in the dead of night. Count Zeppelin, whom the German emperor calls the greatest genius of the century, has performed the greatest exploit of his life. He has thrown bombs on hospitals where Belgians were attending German wounded. He has staggered humanity. On August 15 the German commander warned General Leman at Liege that if the forts did not surrender the Zeppelin fleet would move against Belgium.

"The Germans have been as good as their word. They have explored every one of ten devasted streets and have found portions of ten bombs. Their number of victims is unknown The population is in gloom."

London, Aug. 26.—The Daily News publishes a dispatch from its Antwerp correspondent, saying it is reported there that the American minister to Belgium, Brand Whitlock, has sent an energetic protest to the German government against the hurling of bombs into Antwerp from a Zeppelin airship.

Antwerp, Aug. 25.—(By Dr. Shorer.)—"I have just lived through the most tragic night of the war. For the first time in history a great civilized community has been bombarded from the sky.

"I was awakened at 1 o'clock this morning by a frightful cannonading. A Zeppelin airship had been sighted about 800 feet above the town. I at once went out into the streets, and for eleven hours—from one hour after midnight until noon—I have scarcely left the scene of the catastrophe. I have explored every one of the devastated streets. So far I have found ten bombs in different streets. It is impossible as yet to give any statistics. In my calculation there are about 900 houses slightly damaged and about 60 houses nearly destroyed. In a single house I found four dead. One room was a chamber of horrors, the remains of the mangled bodies being scattered in every direction. A husband and wife whose only son had just been killed in battle were killed."

London, Aug. 26.—A dispatch to the Reuter Telegram company from its Antwerp correspondent says that another raid on the city by a Zeppelin airship was attempted last night. The effective measures taken by the Belgian military authorities, the correspondent continues, caused the German airship to retire.

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What's the Answer?

GERMAN PRINCE KILLED GENERAL DIES AT NAMUR

Paris, Aug. 26. — It is officially announced that a German prince has been killed in battle, and the ministry of war says it presumes that it was Prince Albert of Schleswig-Holstein-Sonderburg-Glucksburg.

An earlier announcement had given the name General Prince Adalbert, described as the emperor's uncle. This was obviously an error, and the ministry of war now states that Adalbert was probably a telegraphic error, Albert having been intended.

Berlin, Aug. 26.—(By wireless to Associated Press by way of Nauen and Sayville, L. I.) — According to official announcement made public here to-day Lieut.-General Prince Frederic of Saxe-Meiningen was killed by a shell before Namur August 23.

No news of the situation on the eastern and western frontiers of Germany has been given out to-day.

WISHART'S MECHANICIAN DEAD.

Elgin, Ill., Aug. 26.—John O. Jenter, mechanician for Spencer Wishart, the automobile racing driver killed last Saturday in an accident in the Elgin National trophy race, died to-day of his injuries.

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Brown, who lived in the picturesque suburbs, returned home late one evening with a package, which he deposited on the dining-room table. His wife, naturally curious, lost no time in starting to investigate. "What have you been buying, Jimmy?" she asked, taking up the package and untying the string. "A cornet," answered Jimmy; "I have been thinking for some time" —— "A cornet?" was the wondering interjection of the wife. "I thought you knew better than to buy a cornet! You know very well that the man next door worries you almost to death with his. "Yes, I know," was the smiling response. "That is the one I bought."

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OFF TO THE FRONT.

Victoria's first contribution to the great Imperial cause now being fought upon the historic and blood-deluged battlefields of Europe received a fitting and never-to-be-forgotten send-off this afternoon. The volunteers of the Fifth Regiment had the honor of being placed in the van of the forces which will flow from this outermost post of Empire to the defence of its heart and centre, the old home in which the race was cradled.

Great Britain has been involved in many wars, never in one more clearly based upon the sacred principles of right and justice and humanity than this one. We only have to read of what is going on in Belgium to realize the lengths to which arrogant militarism and lust of territorial expansion, led, fed and fostered by a man insane with vanity and blasphemous in his assumptions of divine prerogative, will go if it be not promptly checked and the prime mover in the cursed business reduced to a condition in which he will be incapable of further crimes against civilization and humanity.

Consequently the mission of the young men of the Fifth Regiment and of the other volunteers who will follow them is to uphold right as against might, to assist in putting down tyranny and widening the bounds of human freedom. It is a sacred cause, in which sons of all the British dominions have enlisted with enthusiasm tempered with determination and in which we have confidence they will act in accordance with the highest traditions of the British army. We wish the boys of the Fifth well on their patriotic mission.

THE PERIL IN THE EAST.

The Vancouver Province points out that the war has solved two home rule problems of long standing. It has reconciled the Ulstermen and Nationalists of Ireland, who, we are certain, will reach a peaceable settlement of their differences when hostilities have ceased. It has elicited from the Czar the assurance that complete autonomy will be granted to ill-starred Poland if the Poles stand loyally by the Russian cause in this crisis. That this is no empty promise is shown by the fact that the Russian forces which have been kept in Poland for the maintenance of the Czar's authority have been withdrawn. The recent manifesto from St. Petersburg, according to reports, was received with wild enthusiasm by the Poles, and it is a foregone conclusion that those people will fight to the bitter end to prevent Germany and Austria taking from them their newly granted privileges. But that assurance was not given to the Poles of Russian Poland alone but to the people of those sections of the original kingdom which passed under German and Austrian control when it was partitioned. The result will be the creation of a strong revolutionary sentiment against those governments in Galicia, Posen and Gnesen. All this will help to facilitate the advance of the Russian armies, whose objective for the present seems to be the occupation and absorption of territory which originally formed part of Poland, besides the general invasion of East Prussia.

It is this persistent forward march of the Slav which will cause no end of disquietude in Berlin and Vienna. If Germany does not take elaborate measures to check it soon the invaders will be so firmly established in these districts that it will be a herculean task to expel them. All of the eastern and southern portions of East Prussia are now under Russian control. Should they continue their progress in the face of the resistance being offered Russia will be in command of the whole of East Prussia to the banks of the Vistula, and there, commanding the railroads, she will entrench herself with characteristic thoroughness. East Prussia is practically half of the kingdom of Prussia, and its loss to the German empire would be enormous. It has a considerable coast line on the Baltic, including the two important bases of Konigsberg and Danzig, which would give Russia a position of great strategic importance in that area. Once well entrenched in East Prussia, it will require the entire German army of effectives to drive the Russians out, if they drive them out at all. We can quite understand the feverish energy with which the Germans are prosecuting their camgaign against France. Every day's delay in crushing all opposition on their western frontier magnifies their military necessities in the east. As the London Times says, Time fights on the side of the allies and in the last analysis Time is the master strategist.

BRITAIN'S VAST ARMY.

Earl Kitchener's speech in the House of Lords yesterday must have inspired considerable heart-searching at Berlin if the war fever there has not impaired those well-developed reasoning faculties with which the German people have been credited. The announcement that in six months the British field army would consist of forty divisions clearly signified that the empire would continue to throw fresh armies into the continent until Prussianism was thoroughly crushed. Forty divisions, roughly speaking, comprise eight hundred thousand men. Even this enormous total will be increased as time goes by, and if the war continues the British Empire will be represented in the field by more than a million men. These soldiers will not be raw levies. That is not Kitchener's style. They are being trained in the most painstaking manner, and the enemy will find itself confronted with the pick of the empire's manhood in intelligence and physique. Earl Kitchener points out that the Germans are now at their maximum strength and that henceforth there will be gradual deterioration. On the other hand, the allies, with their fresh centres of support, will advance to their most formidable power in proportion to the decline in the fighting strength of Germany and the exhaustion of her resources. The British Empire thus becomes France's invulnerable base, from which reinforcements always will be available no matter how long this struggle will last. Russia requires no outside base. If one army is beaten she will send another, and so on. Her countless millions will be ready to respond to the call.

It is contended that the German Kaiser must have reckoned on these considerations before engaging in the war for which he has been preparing for years. The fact is that the Kaiser did not believe Germany would be confronted with such a combination. This is clearly established by the record presented to the British Parliament by Sir Edward Grey. He counted strongly on Great Britain's neutrality. The German chancellor sent for the British ambassador to Berlin and through him urged Britain to hold aloof. Obtaining no assurance on this point, the German counsellor in London issued a public appeal to the British people to refrain from intervention. So it is evident that whatever plans the Kaiser may have had in regard to a war with Russia and France, he made a fatal miscalculation in respect of Great Britain. And it is that miscalculation, for which he has only himself to blame, which has brought the Kaiser to realize that the war which he fondly hoped would imperil the existence of Russia and France as first-class nations threatens the existence of the German empire instead.

ROBERT KEMP.

A finer type of frontiersman than the late Robert Kemp, who has just passed from our midst, it would be hard to find. A born opportunist, he succeeded, in a life bare of all the chances given the average man. Born in England in 1877, the lust of the trail must have coursed through his veins from his very infancy. Scarcely past babyhood, he ran away from home, crept as a stowaway aboard an ocean liner bound for Montreal, and landed alone, a lad of eight and a half years, in the new big world of the west. Problems? Not for Kemp, who found in everything only interest and opportunity. And such a life of busy days, during which the child stored away the results of his vivid observations. Bootblack, newsboy, errand lad, he worked his way west to Winnipeg. Here for a winter a night school gave him the key to reading and a whole world of more interesting things. Then on, on, to the ultimate west. Farm life in Manitoba, ranch life in Alberta, cookee in a cow-camp—chaps and spurs, broncho-busting, steer-roping—then British Columbia. It was in the days of the gold rush to the Yukon that he found his big experiences. Miner, packer, mail driver over the desolate wastes to Nome, all the hardships and desperate experiences were but gratification of the man's overpowering craving for life. But he was as tender for others as he was indifferent to himself. One of the Northwest Mounted Police, he took the trail as one of the rescue party sent out by the government in the dreadful winter of '98. There was nothing in the grim north so severe that his mettle could not meet it. Cold, fatigue, hunger, seemed but fillips to the energy of this amazing man, whose cheerful optimism will be recalled by many who faced the terrors of the Yukon trail with him. With Warburton Pike he made the historic journey across the sub-Arctics, and stuck by his leader when others fell by the way. Lumberjack, railroad man, bartender, bridge-builder, the man could apply himself with success to anything. It was only after his marriage, some nine or ten years ago, that Victoria came to know him. Here he left ample testimony to that gift of all others in which he excelled—friendship.

THE PRUSSIAN BRUTE.

If the world needs any further proof of the righteousness of the cause for which the allies are fighting it has it in the revolting operations of the Zeppelin dirigible over Antwerp. The airship dropped explosives which wrecked the houses and destroyed the lives of helpless non-combatants while they slept, and some of them fell upon hospitals in which Belgians were treating German wounded, and no doubt upon orphanages and other institutions designed to protect the weak and suffering. This was a flagrant violation of the rules of civilized warfare which Germany with the other great powers had agreed to respect.

The world now knows Prussianism for what it is, a coarse agency of incontinent brutality in comparison with which the despotism of Napoleon was the highest expression of benevolence and freedom. It now understands, moreover, why the relations between the Germanic and Turkish empires have been so cordial in the last few years. Turkey feels that the ferocious cruelty for which German militarism stands is a holy vindication of her hideous record of massacre and rapine. The other day we pointed out that the German system exalted all the beastly instincts of the primitive savage. Is it possible to find a more striking exemplification of that statement than the bomb-dropping barbarism at Antwerp?

Kaiser Wilhelm persists in the delusion that Providence is at his right hand. Are we to assume from this that Providence is blessing the assassination of helpless burgomasters, innocent women and children? The very suggestion is blasphemy of the foulest character and stamps the German emperor as a paranoic whom the world will have to put out of the way. We predict that the horrible outrages perpetrated by the dirigible at Antwerp will react with crushing force upon the perpetrators. Already we have not the faintest doubt that they have filled with repulsion the great humanitarian people of the United States. That country is pledged to neutrality, but should the frenzied operations of Germany's uniformed assassins be carried too far another tremendous force will be exerted to stop the progress of a nation which has run amok. Already the U. S. minister to Belgium has sent a protest to Berlin. The German Kaiser carries a frightful responsibility. It will be best for him if he falls in this struggle. He need expect no mercy from the victors.

TO-DAY'S SUMMARY.

Official reports made public in Vienna and transmitted from Berlin by wireless to New York declare that a battle of three days' duration at Krasnik, in Russian Poland, ended yesterday in a complete Austrian victory. The Russian forces were repulsed along the entire front and are in full flight in the direction of Lublin.

This is the first indication of an Austrian advance into Russian territory. Krasnik is about 20 miles north of the Galician frontier.

It was announced officially in Berlin to-day that Lieut.-general Prince Frederic of Saxe-Meiningen had been killed by a shell before Namur August 23. This statement apparently clears up the identity of the German nobleman who was reported yesterday and to-day as having lost his life in battle.

A news dispatch received in London from Antwerp conveys the report that the United States minister to Belgium, Brand Whitlock, has sent an energetic protest to the German government against the hurling of bombs into Antwerp from a Zeppelin airship.

London this morning received a news dispatch from Antwerp saying that another raid on the city by a Zeppelin had been attempted last night. Measures taken by the Antwerp garrison, however, caused the airship to retire.

The French war office was silent to-day, the usual official announcement not being made. Unofficial military opinion, however, is that the fighting along the French-Belgian frontier continues.

A news dispatch from Paris says that in Lorraine the allied armies have taken up a combined offensive movement and that the situation in the Vosges is unchanged. The battle continues in the region of Luneville, and the French troops are said to be making progress.

A dispatch from Antwerp sets forth that all German troops are believed to have left Brussels and that the Belgians expect to re-occupy the city immediately. This news, however, lacks confirmation from any official source.

A dispatch received in Rome from Vienna declares that Austria-Hungary has declared war on Japan.

According to telegrams from Nish, Servia, the losses of the Austrians in the battle of the Drina continue to grow. They are now given as 15,000 killed, 30,000 wounded and 15,000 prisoners. There hundred thousand Austrians are said to have taken part in this engagement.

Dispatches from the general staff at St. Petersburg announce fresh victories for Russia against both Germany and Austria. Russian troops are now said to occupy the whole of the eastern and southern half of Eastern Prussia. The Russian armies are declared officially to be continuing the offensive. A news dispatch received in London from the Russian capital describes the Russian centre, composed of the great bulk of the Russian army, as marching "silently," but with terrible force, on Posen in Prussia.

News dispatches received in London from Ostend convey the belief there that Germany will occupy Ostend for use later as a base of naval operations against Britain. Ostend is sixty miles from the British coast.

The North German Lloyd steamer Princess Alice has put into the port of Cebu, in the Philippines, with a hole in her stern. The captain reported that he tried to get the German island of Yap, in the Carolines, by wireless, but found the station had been destroyed by the British.

The American embassy at Rome, through the consuls in Italy, has advised all Americans in Italy to return home while communication between Europe and the United States is possible.

The bomb-dropping exploit of a Zeppelin airship over Antwerp on the night of August 24 promises to become a matter of international consideration, according to advices from London. The Belgian authorities claim that the attack was a clear violation of article 26 of the fourth Hague convention. An account of the damage done to Antwerp says that 26 lives were lost, 900 houses slightly damaged and 60 houses nearly destroyed.

The Belgian royal family will abandon its temporary residence in Antwerp, establishing themselves in a secret place in the city. This step is taken because the attack of the Zeppelin is said to have been directed principally against King Albert.

"LIEGE."

France the immortal, France the free;
Betwixt the foe and France was she,
The foe, like one vast living sea,
Drew nigh.

He dreamed that none his tide would stay,
But when he bade her to make way
She, through her cannon, answered "Nay,
Not I."

No tremor and no fear she showed;
She held the pass, she barred the road,
While Death's unsleeping feet bestrode
The ground.

So long as deeds of noblest worth
Are sung 'mid joy and tears and mirth,
Her glory shall, to ends of earth,
Resound.

Watched by a world that yearned to aid,
Lonely she stood, but undismayed;
Resplendent was the part she played
And pure.

Praised be her heroes, proud her sons,
She threw her souls into the guns;
Her name shall, with the loveliest ones,
Endure.

—William Watson in London Chronicle.

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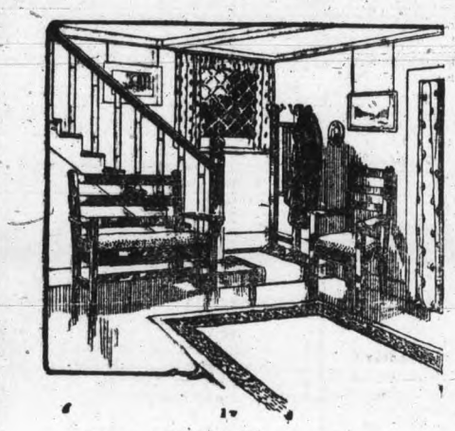

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—First Floor, Douglas

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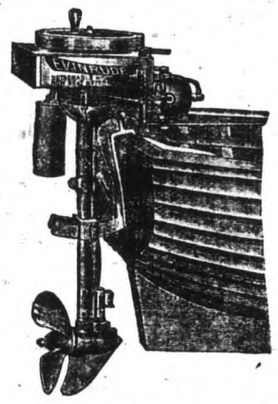

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Enlisted Men.—Members of Victoria Aerie No. 12, of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, will kindly forward their name and address to J. M. Hughes, secretary, Box 1310, Victoria, B. C., as the Aerie will keep all such members in beneficial standing during the term of their enlistment. •

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One of the Unfortunate Results of the European War is the cessation of the flow of money from the old world for development purposes on Vancouver Island. We know of many men thrown out of work already, and there will be many more. What do they intend to do? Stay in the city and live on their savings? It would be much more to their advantage to get a few acres of good land in the country, and get them into a state of cultivation. The Vancouver Island Fruit Lands, Ltd., has some thousands of acres. All the way from Parksville to Union Bay, also in the Alberni district. The price is $40 and $45 per acre in payments over five years. The land can also be leased on very easy terms. Our office will be open from 8 to 9 in the evenings for the benefit of those not able to call during the daytime. Vancouver Island Fruit Lands, Ltd. General agents, Carmichael & Moorhead, Ltd., 608 Belmont House, Victoria, B. C. •

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Bank Clearings.—The bank clearings in Victoria for the week ending August 25 were $2,069,326.

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Band Concert.—The band of the 88th Fusiliers gave a concert at the drydock last evening for the men of the regiment in camp there.

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Deputation From Port Alberni.—A deputation from Port Alberni, headed by J. G. C. Wood, M. P. P., and Mayor Burde waited on the provincial executive yesterday. They discussed questions affecting the district.

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Copper Business.—Lorne A. Campbell, M. P. P., of Rossland, general manager of the West Kootenay Light and Power company, states that the war with Germany will greatly curtail the demand for copper, in anticipation of which the Kootenays are somewhat quiet. He arrived in the city yesterday on business connected with his constituency.

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Further $100 Passed.—At the meeting of the Municipal Chapter, I. O. D. E. yesterday, a further $100, on motion of Mrs. Croft, was passed for the furtherance of the work of the rations committee, of which Mrs. Hanington is the convenor. Mrs. Hanington reported that the supplies would be very largely assisted by the voluntary donations of fruit, vegetables, etc., which were coming in from Duncan, Cowichan, and the Royal Oak Women's institutes.

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Y. M. C. A. Campaign Plans.—The membership committee of the Y. M. C. A. met last evening for the purpose of considering a membership campaign to be opened in the near future. There will be a meeting in the near future for the purpose of discussing the winter programme for the physical departments, as many of the boys and young men who have been spending the summer months in camp and out of the city are now back again and ready for resuming the programme.

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Crossed North Sea.—Hans Hansoe, a well known young Norwegian, who has lived in Victoria for some time, has just returned from Norway where, with his bride, he went some three months ago to spend his honeymoon. War between Great Britain and Germany was declared while he was on the North sea and the boat's arrival in England was attended with a great deal of ceremony. There was no inconvenience offered him in returning to Canada except that his Canadian and United States money was worth only about 50 per cent of its value in England. The ship in which he crossed the Atlantic went very far north, but reached Montreal almost on schedule time.

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Household League Meets. — The committee of the Household league met yesterday afternoon at the residence of Mrs. Dennis Harris, Superior street, when the principal feature of the proceedings was the consideration of arrangements for the disposition of the fruit which is being sent down to Victoria to-day by the Cowichan Women's institute. It was stated that the Cowichan creamery, on North Park street, would handle the fruit, for the sale of which at the present time special government permission was sought after a recent meeting of the Cowichan Farmers' and Women's Institutes. There will be a special general meeting of the Household league next Monday afternoon in the Y. W. C. A. rest room at which all members are specially requested to be present.

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Accused of Dynamiting.—The provincial police authorities have apprehended two men alleged to have been connected with the dynamite outrages committed at Ladysmith last August during the coal strike troubles. Mike Adams was arrested on Friday last in Nanaimo charged with an attempt to murder Alex. McKinnon by dynamiting his house on August 12, 1913. McKinnon's shoulder was shattered and his life despaired of for months. William Jackson was arrested at Roslyn, Washington, at the request of Superintendent Campbell of the provincial police and brought back. He was charged on Monday before Magistrate Dallain at Ladysmith with attempting to commit grievous harm on the inmates of the Temperance hotel on August 13, when that building was dynamited.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Victoria Times, August 26, 1889.

The Knights of Pythias have purchased a plot of land on Yates street and next spring will build a three-storey brick castle on the site. It will cost $20,000.

There arrived from England last night via Montreal and the C. P. R. two gun carriages for the naval yard, Esquimalt. Both were manufactured in the north of England, one at the Elswick works, the other at Newcastle-on-Tyne.

Improvements have been in progress at Esquimalt dry-dock for some time past. For this purpose the Dominion government gave an appropriation of $8,000. The most important improvement to the dock is the increased length given to it by carrying the gates 40 feet further. The blocks in the bottom to hold the ship's keel have been doubled.

Lawn Mower Hospital, 614 Cormorant. Successful operations daily. •

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Given Three Months.—In the city police court to-day Sing, a Chinaman, received a three months' sentence for supplying an Indian with whisky which he had purchased at a downtown hotel on the Indian's behalf. He offered no defence.

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To Find Troops' Needs.—Mrs. A. E. McPhillips, Mrs. Hall and Mrs. W. E. Scott were appointed a committee of three at the I. O. D. E. meeting yesterday to find out the requirements with respect to outfit, etc., of the detachments which are leaving for the front.

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Presbytery Meeting.—The semi-annual meeting of the Presbytery of Victoria will take place at St. Andrew's church on Wednesday, September 2, at 2 p. m. One of the items of business will consist of a call by the congregation of Duncan Presbyterian church for a minister, Rev. Mr. Lumby, the last incumbent, having resigned about three months ago.

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Architects Elect Officers.—The annual meeting of the British Columbia Association of Architects, Victoria chapter, was held last evening. The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows: President, J. C. M. Keith; vice-president, Major W. Ridgway Wilson; hon. secretary, N. Emms Read; hon. treasurer, J. M. Warren; executive, L. P. Rixford, L. K. Walker, H. C. Ferree, A. R. Hennell, A. Fleet.

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Landing Steps Washed Away.—The landing steps at the Gorge have been swept away. This has happened recently owing to the tides entering the open end formed by the placing of planking along the sides of the landing, which made it dangerous for canoes to paddle through, and also prevented swimmers from being able to climb out. The planking caught the strong tides, which finally had the effect of undermining the landing and steps and sweeping them away.

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Held Enjoyable Smoker.—A very enjoyable and successful smoker was held under the auspices of the Sons of England, Pride of the Island lodge, when farewell was said to those leaving for the front. The chair was taken by the president, Bro. Bussy. A toast was given to the king, army and the navy and was responded to by Bro. Dingle. Songs was rendered by Mrs. Griffith, Meanes, Hampton and others. Recitations were offered by Bro. Bally and Bro. Bollard. A very interesting speech was given by District Superintendent Brother Critchley. Brother West delivered his report of his visit to the supreme grand lodge.

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Branding of Stock.—One of the principal changes made by the new Provincial Stock Brand act, passed at the last session of the legislature and now in force, is that the work of recording all brands for the provin is done by the recorder of brands at the office of the livestock commissioner at Victoria. Under the former act, brands might be recorded at all government offices throughout the province, but this had a fault in that it made it possible for duplicate brands to exist. Registration of a brand under the new act provides legal ownership for four years from December 31, 1914. Any person who brands or assists in branding any stock with an unrecorded brand, or who brands with his own brand any stock of which he is not the owner, without the authority of the owner, or blotches, defaces, or alters any brand, renders himself liable to a penalty of $200. Brands for cattle should consist of not less than two characters, and the position of the brand on the animal should be stated. Where the same brand is used for both horses and cattle, it must be registered as two distinct brands. The fee for recording a cattle brand is one dollar. Any horse brand selected by the applicant may be registered, provided that it does not conflict with brands already recorded. The position on the animal must be indicated. The fee for recording a horse brand is one dollar.

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TELEPHONE MATTER WILL BE DISCUSSED

Special City Council Session Called for Friday; Telephone Conduit Agreement

A special meeting of the city council has been called for Friday afternoon to hear a communication from the B. C. Telephone company. The communication has reference to the fulfillment by the city of the obligations undertaken by the council in 1911, which have only partially been carried out by the council. Under the agreement the city undertook to provide funds on certain specified terms for the purpose of installing an underground conduit system, and it is in connection with this part that the communication deals.

Complaint was made by the manager of the Allen Players to the mayor to-day regarding the appeal issued under labor union auspices concerning the Princess theatre on the ground that the alterations recently effected were done by non-union labor. Mr. Allen pointed out that the staff engaged by him are union men, and that he is not responsible for the circumstances under which the contract for alterations was carried out. The mayor suggested that a written complaint should be lodged, with the council and this course will be adopted.

Fire Chief Davis has been in consultation with the city solicitor with regard to the passage of a by-law establishing an examination for operators of moving picture theatres. The power is given to municipalities under recent legislation, and it is said to be the intention of the government to leave the draft of regulations to the municipalities, which may deal with their own needs. The purpose is to secure uniformity in the handling of films in the various moving picture houses.

It is stated that the aldermen will be approached in the near future with a request that the council place a sales commissioner in the market building in order to handle the disposal of locally-raised produce. The proposal is that he should be an auctioneer skilled in the marketing of fruit, vegetable and similar produce, and that the small commission charged should go towards maintenance.

That the market will eventually gravitate to the waterfront is not doubted, and when the construction of the Johnson street bridge is commenced the city will have sufficient land at the eastern end for a market site, right on the waterfront, under the elevated approach to the bridge. This is proposed to be used for a market.

There will not be much business before the meeting of the streets committee on Friday, as it follows the council meeting.

ACCEPT CITY'S OFFER

Saanich Councillors Decline to Have Another Offer From Esquimalt Waterworks Company.

At the meeting of the Saanich council last evening there developed opposition against the adoption of the report setting out the terms of agreement for the purchase of water in bulk from the city council when Sooke waterworks have been completed.

Councilor Williams moved an amendment that the city's terms be not accepted till a further communication had been received from the Esquimalt Waterworks company. He did this on the ground that the city had been allowed to modify its tender while the waterworks company had not been permitted to put in a revised bid. One councilor supported the amendment, but it was outvoted on a division.

The council authorized the engineer to proceed with the surveys of the property at Mount Tolmie which is to be used for residential purposes, and is being developed under the auspices of the Canadian Financiers Agency, Ltd.

Two by-laws dealing with regulation of pounds and sub-divisions were further considered, and the council determined to accept sub-divisions if the centre of the road is rough graded, leaving the stumps on either side. Reeve McGregor was not present, being kept away by indisposition.

Building Permit.—A building permit has been issued to James Roy for a house at Forbes street, costing $2,000.

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Rev. Hermon Carson presided, and an excellent programme of music was furnished, among those who took part being Harold Davis, at the piano; Miss Morrison, Mrs. Hall and Mr. Loche, vocalists; Mr. Chin Chen, 'cellist; Messrs. Scowcroft, Daniels and Loche, who sang; Mr. Hall, who recited; a number of members of the Christian Endeavor society, who provided several choruses; and the Misses W. Scowcroft and Elizabeth Scowcroft, and Messrs. H. Daniels and Chin Chen, who provided several orchestral numbers. Commencing at 7 o'clock the proceedings passed off in most enjoyable fashion, concluding late in the evening.

WANTS MOTOR RACES.

E. J. Cameron stated to the Times this morning that the auto dealers of the city are going to circulate a petition amongst the ratepayers to have permission granted for the holding of an auto meet at the Willows track on Labor day. Should permission be given him to hold the meet, he states that he will have all of the crack drivers in the northwest as competitors.

Fusiliers' Band Concert.—The band of the 88th Fusiliers will be in attendance at Central Park this evening at 7 o'clock. Bandmaster Rowland promises a well selected programme of patriotic selections.

WILL RESIDE HERE.

Miss Florence May Roberts Becomes Bride of Eric Payne Fox; a Pretty Event.

A charming August wedding took place on Tuesday afternoon at Christ Church cathedral between Florence May, youngest daughter of Mrs. Roberts, of 29 Menzies street, and the late Raeben Roberts, of Birmingham, England, and Eric Payne Fox, of the Forest branch, parliament buildings, only surviving son of the late Charles James Fox and Mrs. Fox, formerly of Birmingham, England. The bride looked very handsome in a gown of figured crepe de chine, and was led to the altar by her brother, Harold Roberts. She was attended by Miss Ellen Corbert, of New Westminster, who was becomingly gowned in pink messaline silk trimmed with roses and lace. The best man was H. N. Fynn. The very Rev. the Dean of Columbia performed the ceremony, and immediately after the ceremony the large concourse of friends assembled at the residence of the bride's mother, where a delicious luncheon was served. Later, amid the best wishes of the guests, the bride and bridegroom left for their honeymoon, and on their return will live at 2018 Meadow Place, Oak Bay, where Mrs. Fox will receive on September 10. The bridegroom's gift to the bridesmaid was a gold bracelet, and to the best man a silver cigarette case.

"Mamma, there is a funny old man in this Pickwick book that's always telling his son to beware of the widows. Why is that?" Mother—"Well, a widow is supposed to be skilful in catching a husband." Gertie—"Gracious! I wonder if I'll have to be a widow before I can get married?"

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The railways on the North American continent employ over a million and a half men who are paid many hundred million dollars in wages in a single year. These great enterprises demand the highest degree of efficiency and ability from their directing chiefs and managers.

But while they demand the utmost in individual service they offer to the ambitious and capable youth wonderful opportunities of advancement. It is from the ranks, and from the ranks alone, that the generals of the railway armies are chosen. The big Grand Trunk system affords some striking instances of how ability plus industry can win recognition. E. J. Chamberlain has risen from the position of timekeeper in the car shops of the Central Vermont railway to the presidency of the Grand Trunk and Grand Trunk Pacific railways and subsidiary companies, comprising nearly 9,000 miles of track. He has never spared himself and has little use for the type of employee who has been described as knowing only two stations on the line, "Sundown" and "Payday."

The recent changes in the ranks of the vice-presidents of the system led to the elevation of Frank Scott to vice-presidential rank. Thirty years ago, two boys entered the treasurer's department of the Grand Trunk, both Canadians born in Montreal. Young Scott and young Dalrymple, for the other boy was J. E. Dalrymple, now vice-president in charge of traffic, worked side by side for several years. Mr. Dalrymple was later transferred to the traffic side. Mr. Scott, on the other hand, specialized in the financial branches of the railway's work, and his recent promotion to the vice-presidency was a fitting recognition of his ability. This had already been marked by his being chosen president of the Society of Railway Financial Officers of America. He succeeds the late M. P. Reynolds.

Few railways can duplicate this record of having two vice-presidents who have risen from junior clerkships in the service, without having to leave the organization in which they had their first business training in order to win laurels. Their success should be an inspiration to the thousands of young men employed in the company's system, and are by no means isolated examples. Probably the majority of the men now superintending the various branches of the operations have climbed step by step up the ladder.

Another appointment announced this month was that of Walter Hardman Ardley as comptroller, in charge of all accounting. Mr. Ardley for the past six years has been general auditor of the system. He won his experience in the Grand Trunk offices. His school days were spent at the City of London college, under the shadow of St. Paul's cathedral, and it was as a clerk in the audit office of the Grand Trunk that he began his railway career.

COMPANY ABANDONS THE PRINCE ALBERT

Capt. Nicholson Announces That G. T. P. Leaves Her With Insurance Companies

Vancouver, Aug. 26.—Captain C. H. Nicholson, manager of the G. T. P. steamers, returned to Vancouver at 4 p.m. yesterday on the C. P. R. steamer Princess Sophia, after examining the wreck of the Prince Albert on Butterworth Rock.

This morning Capt. Nicholson informed the Times that the G. T. P. had abandoned the Prince Albert as a constructive total loss.

"She has a list of 50 degrees," he said, "and at high water she is practically awash."

The inquiry into the wreck is to take place at Vancouver some time after August 28.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

Aug. 26.

Tacoma, Wash. — Arrived: Str. Hyades, Seattle. Sailed: Admiral Watson, Seattle.

Portland, Ore.—Arrived: Strs. Johan Poulsen, Multnomah, Shoshone, F. H. Leggett, Rose City, San Francisco. Sailed: Strs. George W. Elder, Coos Bay; F. H. Leggett, Grays Harbor; Klamath, Beaver, San Francisco.

San Francisco, Cal.—Arrived: Strs. Congress, San Diego; Coila, Moji; Fair Oaks, Clarèmont, Grays Harbor; Br. ship Annie M. Reid, Callao. Sailed: Str. Falcon, towing schs. Halcyon and Salvator, Everett; str. Col. E. L. Drake, Puget Sound; Br. str. Sequoia, Moji; strs. Adeline Smith, Coos Bay; Moana, Honolulu; sch. James A. Bruce, Puget Sound.

Aberdeen, Wash.—Arrived: Strs. Svea, Norwood, San Francisco; sch. Andy Mahony, Astoria. Sailed: Strs. Carmel, Tamalpais, San Francisco.

Astoria, Ore.—Arrived: Strs. Shoshone, Multnomah, Johan Poulsen, F. H. Leggett, Rose City, San Ramon, San Francisco. Sailed: Strs. William Bowden, California; California; Andy Mahony, Grays Harbor; Thomas L. Wand, Alaska; Beaver, Honus and Daisy Gadsby, San Francisco.

Seattle, Wash.—Arrived: Strs. Dolphin, Southeastern Alaska; Argyll, Port San Luis; Tampico, San Francisco; Admiral Watson, Tacoma; Thistle, Nagasaki. Sailed: Strs. Shidzuoka Maru, Hongkong via way ports; Lansing, San Luis; Admiral Sampson, Southeastern and Southwestern Alaska; Queen, San Diego; Humboldt, Southeastern Alaska; Admiral Watson, San Francisco; Governor, Sound ports; Queen Maud, Eagle Harbor; Hyades, Tacoma; Mariposa, Southeastern and Southwestern Alaska.

CAMOSUN OUT TO-NIGHT.

The Union Steamship company's steamer Camosun is due in this afternoon from the west coast of the mainland and goes out again at midnight for Rivers inlet, Bella Coola and way ports. She is taking a large cargo of general freight and has a number of passengers booked.

MARAMA HAD QUIET VOYAGE FROM SOUTH

Held Five Days at Honolulu, She Saw No Signs of German Cruisers at Sea

One week behind her schedule as a result of having been held at Honolulu for orders in view of the presence of German cruisers in the North Pacific, the R. M. S. Marama, Captain R. Craword, of the Canadian-Australasian line, arrived at the outer wharf at 7 o'clock last evening.

The Marama left Sydney on July 27 and Auckland, New Zealand, four days later. On arriving at Suva, Fiji, on August 4 the passengers learned what they had been waiting to hear, that war had been declared. Acting on orders to avoid the usual lanes of ocean travel the captain deviated the course of his vessel about six hundred miles, which caused it to arrive at Honolulu two days behind schedule time, or on August 14.

Further orders were received there to remain until it was certain that there was no danger from German cruisers, and so for five days the passengers had liberty to explore the wonders and experience the delights of a tropical island. It was not until the evening of August 18, the date the steamer was scheduled to dock here, that Captain Crawford was informed by the British consul that he could now proceed but with caution.

A start on the last stage of the voyage was made at 9 o'clock that evening, every light being out or being effectually hidden behind covers. The steamship was kept at her ordinary speed and made port here to the hour of her regular schedule. From Honolulu the voyage was uneventful, and absolutely nothing was seen of any unfriendly craft. Fine weather was experienced throughout the entire voyage.

Eleven passengers disembarked here: Mr. and Mrs. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. C. Franklyn Getter, Miss S. Carleton, Miss N. E. Smith, A. G. Stapleton, G. Steinberger, J. Smith, S. Harvey and J. Bowe. For Vancouver there were 25 first-class passengers, 33 second-class and 26 third class, 84 in all. There was also landed here a reservist to report at Esquimalt, who had been working his way south on the Niagara and joined the steamer at Honolulu when he learned of the call to rejoin the colors.

Among the passengers for Vancouver is Tommy Burns, who has been in the south in connection with the promotion of some fights, and he is on his way back to Calgary. He is accompanied by Mrs. Burns and their two children. Other passengers were Rev. George Duncan, O. C. Beale, an eastern manufacturer, and Mrs. Beale; Lieut. E. A. Hill, R. N., who is proceeding to Great Britain, and A. C. Morgan, a Montreal merchant, with Mrs. Morgan and two children.

It was thought here that Captain J. T. Rolls, the regular commander of the Marama, would have taken her on at Honolulu, seeing that the Niagara was lying there at the same time, but he continued on to Sydney with the latter vessel, which he took over for this round voyage in the place of Captain Morrisby, commodore of the fleet, who had to miss one trip on the advice of his doctor, he having sustained a serious injury to one of his eyes in Sydney.

The Marama had a cargo for Victoria of fifty-three tons, and for Vancouver she has 1,487 tons, of which the largest items are butter from New Zealand and wool and hides from Sydney. She goes out again for Sydney on Sept. 2.

SALMON RUN IN NORTH.

Seattle steamers returning from Alaska bring news of a phenomenal salmon run in those waters. In the Seldovia district, southeastern Alaska, there was a run which turned the tide of failure on the season's pack into success for the canners. One cannery, in a short month, put up twenty thousand cases, following a start that augured badly for the season.

AIDS TO NAVIGATION

Strait of Georgia—Sandheads at Entrance to Fraser River—Lightship and channel entrance buoys shifted in position to conform with new channel.

The lightship has been shifted on a bearing N. 26 deg. W., distant 7 cables from its former position, and now lies on the port side of the entrance to the new channel of the Fraser river in 16 fathoms of water, distant 4 1-3 cables from No. 1 black can buoy.

Lat. N. 49 deg., 07 min., Long. W. 123 deg., 18 min., 15 sec.

The new channel is at present 500 feet wide and is marked on the port side by eight black can buoys, Nos. 1, 3, 5, 7, 9, 11, 13 and 15, and on the starboard side by one red conical buoy.

In addition to the above-mentioned permanent buoys five red spar buoys will mark the south side (starboard) of the channel. These will be removed without further notice when the channel widens or as necessity requires.

The course for entering and as far as buoy No. 5 is N. 80 deg., 30 min. N.; from buoy No. 5 to No. 13 course is N. 43 deg. E.

The distance from No. 1 buoy to No. 5 buoy is 7 cables, and from No. 5 buoy to No. 13 buoy is 12 cables. The least depth in the new channel is 17½ feet.

All the aids in the old channel will be discontinued, which includes the outer or south curve red fixed light. The aids from buoy No. 15 up-stream remain as formerly.

OPEN AND SHUT PORTS IN UNITED KINGDOM

A list of Great Britain's open and closed ports was received here to-day by the agents of British steamship lines.

The open ports are: Dundee, Aberdeen, West Hartlepool, Hull, London, Folkestone, Falmouth, Bristol, Holyhead, Liverpool and Greenock. All other ports are closed, according to the list.

Alien friends can land or embark at open ports with the permission of the alien officer at the port; alien enemies can land or embark at open ports only with permission of the secretary of state.

As regards United States citizens, necessary arrangements have been made with the United States embassy in London.

NO INTERRUPTION IN ATLANTIC SERVICES

A. E. Disney, North Pacific coast passenger agent of the White Star line at Seattle, has forwarded on to the local agent, C. F. Earle, of the Grand Trunk Pacific railway, an intimation from New York that there has been no interruption in or cancellation of the services of the company between Liverpool and New York, and that the regular sailings will be maintained.

The only steamers which are not flying the British flag in connection with the International Mercantile Marine lines are the St. Louis, St. Paul, Philadelphia, and New York, of the American line, and the Kroonland and Finland, of the Red Star line. The weekly sailings of these lines is being maintained but the British port is Liverpool during the war.

IROQUOIS GOES AGROUND IN FOG

Seattle, Aug. 26.—The steamer Iroquois ran aground during heavy fog to-day.

She left Victoria this morning with a large number of passengers on board and was due here at half-past one o'clock.

At latest reports she was in no danger.

PRINCELY SALARIES.

A late Chinese exchange gives the scale of salaries which has been fixed by the departments of finance and home affairs of the Chinese republic for the five grades of civil governors of provinces. It is not stated whether the figures given are in gold or Mexican dollars, but even if the latter, which would be half the amount in gold, the salaries to be paid annually to these officials are far above anything paid to Europeans. Governors of the first grade receive $135,000, second grade $120,000, third grade $105,000, fourth grade $100,000, fifth grade $90,000.

IMMIGRATION MEN HELD OUTBOUND SHIP

Later Gave Order to Allow Departing Passengers to Go Aboard for Orient

The Shidzuoka Maru, of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha, was delayed in getting away from the outer wharf last evening through the disinclination of the immigration department to allow thirty-five Hindus to embark for the Orient. She was held here until seven o'clock. She ought to have been out of sight around Race Rocks before the Marama showed up from sea, but in the end the Australian boat was docking just as the Japanese liner got away from the wharf.

The local immigration officials were acting on the orders of Malcolm J. Reid, immigration officer at Vancouver. One of the interpreters of the Vancouver office was sent over here to take charge of the matter, and when W. R. Dale, the local representative of the Great Northern railway, agents on this side for the Nippon line, asked for the reason of the delay in getting the Hindus aboard he was told that they were not to go on. To this Mr. Dale naturally asked what legal authority the officials had to deny any British subject the right to leave the country, and was told that it was on Mr. Reid's instructions.

It was stated that the men had not given their names, and when Mr. Dale pointed out that these were on their tickets the Vancouver official retorted that these were not their right names. Seeing that the steamer might be held up indefinitely while the department took this stand, Mr. Dale ordered the men to be put aboard, and said it was his right as the agent of the company to do so. The reply of the Vancouver man was that he carried a revolver, Mr. Dale states. He backed this up by calling for the help of the city police, and Sergt. Wesley Harper was sent out to the wharf with a half-dozen constables.

In view of the attitude of the authorities Mr. Dale summoned the legal adviser of the company here, J. H. Austin, and eventually Mr. Reid was got in touch with over the long-distance line. At first he was obdurate, at the same time declining to give any reason for preventing the embarkation of the Hindus beyond the general statement that these were his orders.

Mr. Austin had been instructed to apply for a writ of mandamus to compel the immigration officers to permit the embarkation of these passengers, holding tickets calling for transportation by the Shiduzuoka, and he informed Mr. Reid that if his special agent here did not see fit to let the men go on board the aid of the courts would be invoked.

The final reply to this was the giving of an order to the Vancouver official here to allow the men to board the vessel. This was not done, however, before Captain Irizawa had nearly worried the life out of Mr. Dale for the delay caused to his vessel.

Mr. Reid was asked by the Vancouver correspondent of the Times to-day what the cause of the trouble had been, but he denied that there was any trouble.

COLUMBIA RIVER BOAT SUNK.

The river boat Kellogg, trading between Portland and Kelso, Ore., struck a snag while near the latter place on Monday and sank in six feet of water. A large hole was torn in the hull and the little vessel went to the bottom like a stone. After the freight was removed the Kellogg was raised and patched sufficiently to be taken into Portland for repairs.

PRINCESS SOPHIA IN.

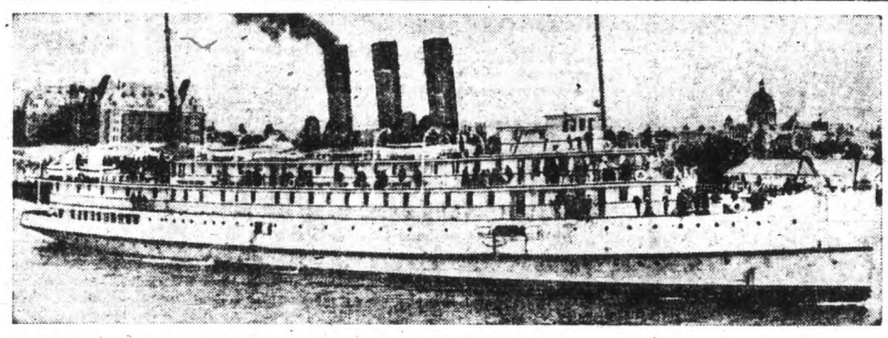
The Princess Sophia got in early this morning from Skagway and way ports with a number of passengers and a large quantity of freight.

TAMBA MARU COMING IN.

The Tamba Maru was at quarantine as the Times went to press and will be at outer wharf at 5.

Doctor—"Your husband, madame, is suffering from nervous breakdown." Anxious Wife—"Indeed, sir?" Doctor—"And he needs something to quieten him. What is his business?" Anxious Wife—"He's a policeman, sir." Doctor—"Well, slip a shilling into his hand when he isn't looking, every two hours during the night and I'll call again in the morning. Good-day!"

PRINCESS VICTORIA IN COLLISION



Three-funnel ferry, which is commanded by Captain P. J. Hickey, this morning collided with the Admiral Sampson, of the Pacific Alaska Navigation Company's line, which was on the way from seattle to Alaska, with the result that the captain, chief engineer, six members of the crew, and three passengers on the latter vessel were drowned. Captain Hickey is one of the most careful navigators on the North Pacific coast, and his superiors have the utmost confidence in him. He has been ten years with the B. C. Coast service, and on the Princess Victoria since she came out. The Admiral Sampson was a steel steamship equipped with double bottom, collision bulkheads, submarine signals and every modern invention for the safety of passengers. She was 300 feet long, 36 feet beam and 25 feet deep.

TIMES SHIPPING CHART

DEEP SEA ARRIVALS.

Steamer	Master	Tonnage	Agents	From	Due
Monmouthshire	——	3,197	Findlay, Durham & Brodie	Antwerp	Sept. 8
Andalusia	Helfer	3,371	Gardner Johnson	Hamburg	Aug. 20
Tamba Maru	Teranaka	3,840	G. Northern	Hongkong	Aug. 26
Crown of Seville	Smith	3,674	Balfour, Guthrie	Liverpool	Aug. 28
Teucer	Yarwood	5,720	Dodwell & Co.	Liverpool	Aug. 29
Epsom	Hill	2,970	(Rails, C.N.R.)	In Magellan Straits	
Wyandotte	——	2,712	C. P. R.	Sydney	Sept. 1
Don of Alloa	Heeming	2,450	E. D. & B.	Hull	Sept. 1
Tacoma Maru	Hamara	3,740	R. P. Rithet	Hongkong	Sept. 3
Aki Maru	Noma	4,024	G. Northern	Hongkong	Sept. 9
San Francisco	(None)	...	Evens, Coleman & Evans	New York	Sept. 10
Makura	Phillips	4,921	C. P. R.	Sydney	Sept. 15
Panama Maru	Kanoa	3,760	R. P. Rithet	Hongkong	Sept. 17
Nowwell	Evans	2,432	(Rails, C.N.R.)	Sydney-C.B.	Sept. 20
Sado Maru	Asakawa	3,840	G. Northern	Hongkong	Sept. 23
Calthybius	Allan	6,500	Dodwell & Co.	Liverpool	Sept. 26
Historian	Llewellyn	4,455	Balfour, Guthrie	Liverpool	Sept. 28
Monteagle	Douglas	3,900	C. P. R.	Hongkong	Oct. 3
Gladstone	Jonassen	3,087	(Rails, C.N.R.)	Sydney, C.B.	Oct. 15
Cardiganshire	Warner	5,540	E. D. & B.	Hull	Oct. 30
Brasilia	——	4,253	Gardner Johnson	Hamburg	Nov. 15

DEEP-SEA DEPARTURES.

Canada Maru, R.P.Rithet, H'gk'g. Sept. 1
Marama, C.P.R., Sydney, N.S.W. Sept. 2
Tamba Maru, G.N., Hongkong .. Sept. 8
Makura, C.P.R., Australia ..... Sept. 30
Teucer, Dodwell, Liverpool ..... Sept. 30

SAILERS COMING.

Alliance, Peruvian barque, Iquique.
Birkdale, British barque, from Barry, Wales, for Esquimalt, with coal.
Carrier Dove, American schooner, from Newcastle, N. S. W., for Esquimalt for repairs.
Columbia, American schooner, from Salaverry, Peru, for Royal Roads. To load lumber at Vancouver for Australia.
David Evans, British schooner, from Japan for Royal Roads (lying at Astoria).

COASTING VESSELS.

From Northern Ports.
Camosun, U.S.S., Bella Coola .... Aug. 26
Princess May, C.P.R., Skagway .. Aug. 31
Prince John, G.T.P., P. Rupert .. Sept. 4

For Northern Ports.
Camosun, U.S.S., Bella Coola .... Aug. 26
Princess Sophia, C.P.R., Skagway Aug. 29
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For West Coast.
Princess Maquinna, Holberg ..... Aug. 26

From West Coast.
Princess Maquinna, Holberg ..... Sept. 1

From San Francisco.
President, Pacific Coast ..... Aug. 31

For San Francisco.
Governor, Pacific Coast ..... Aug. 28

For Comox.
Charmer, C. P. R. ..... Sept. 1

FERRY SERVICES.

For Vancouver.
Princess Mary leaves 10.30 a. m. daily.
Princess Victoria leaves 3.00 p. m. daily.
Princess Alice leaves 11.45 p. m. daily.

From Vancouver.
Princess Mary arrives 6.45 a. m. daily.
Princess Charlotte arrives 3.00 p.m. daily.
Princess Alice arrives 6.30 p. m. daily.

For Seattle.
Princess Charlotte leaves 4.30 p.m. daily

From Seattle.
Princess Victoria arrives 1.15 p.m. daily.

For Tacoma.
Iroquois leaves 8.30 a. m. daily.

From Tacoma.
Iroquois arrives via Seattle 6 a.m. daily.

For Port Angeles.
Iroquois, 8.30 a.m.; Sol Duc, 1 p.m.

From Port Angeles.
Sol Duc, 11.30

B. C. COAST SERVICE

Princess May leaves Victoria 11 p.m. Friday, August 21, and Princess Sophia, August 28, for Alert Bay, Prince Rupert, Port Simpson, Ketchikan and Skagway.

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Princess Beatrice sails from Vancouver 11 p. m. on Wednesday nights from Vancouver for Campbell River, Alert Bay, Prince Rupert.

Princess Patricia leaves Nanaimo for Vancouver daily at 7 a. m. and 3.15 p. m. Returning, leaves Vancouver 10 a. m. and 6.30 p. m.

Princess Maquinna sails from Victoria at 11 p. m. on August 26th, September 9th and 23rd, on long trip, calling at Clayoquot, Hesquiat, Nootka, Quatsino, Holberg; also leaves Victoria 11 p. m. on August 19 and September 2 on short trips.

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BELGIUM IS A LAND OF FIVE LANGUAGES

And Yet It Might Be Called a Country Without a Native Tongue; Flemish Claim

A land without a language! That is Belgium.

Whatever the outcome of the war, and regardless of the number of pieces into which the small kingdom of Belgium may eventually be cut, it will be a practical impossibility further to complicate the Belgian lingual situation.

Strictly speaking, Belgium is not a land without a language; it is a land with so many languages that no one of them may rightly be said to be the native Belgian tongue. Nominally, the Flemish is entitled to that distinction, but the truth is that only among the farmers of northern Belgium has Flemish any great vogue. As for the rest, French, English, German and Dutch are spoken with equal fluency.

The city of Antwerp, there can be no doubt, presents Belgium's most bewildering linguistic array. Four languages are current there—five, really, because Flemish and Dutch, despite their similarity, are entitled to be classed as different languages. This does not mean that in different sections of Antwerp four or five languages are spoken, for that would be nothing extraordinary. It means that the average resident of Antwerp speaks all five of these languages with equal ease or effort, that it is a matter of indifference to him which he uses, and that about half the time he could not tell you which language he were using, without stopping to consider. And he can think in any or all of them, which is the final test.

To begin with, all Antwerpians speak Flemish. It is their native tongue. Speaking Flemish, they speak Dutch. On paper Dutch and Flemish are identical, but as spoken by the two races they have marked points of difference. The Anutwerpian, then, can speak Dutch and Flemish, but he does not do so. If you address him a question in one of these tongues he will answer you, of course, but he does not care for the language. It is supposed to be bourgeois, and your Antwerpian fears that should he lose the language it will be thought that he can speak no other.

French Essential.

French, of course, is essential. Without it the Antwerp man would be lost in Brussels, where French is spoken almost exclusively. Without it he could make no trips to Paris nor read the French newspapers, nor converse with 10 per cent. of the strangers who visit Antwerp. And, finally, it is fashionable to speak French, and becoming more so daily. The Belgian coinage system is patterned after the French, and it would be no great surprise to see the Belgian adopt the entire French language very soon. In Antwerp today it is vastly more important to know French than to know Flemish or Dutch.

As for English, one has but to ask a query of any person on the street to find how generally English is spoken. Antwerp is a business town, and much of its business is with England and America. Between Antwerp and England boats ply daily, and there are direct lines from Antwerp to New York. The lowest clerk cannot obtain employment in any business house in Antwerp unless he speaks English. Furthermore, there is the American tourist to be considered. The tourist's franc plays an important part in the life of Antwerp, and Antwerp knows that it stands a better chance to get it if it speaks the tourist language. So it speaks it.

For the prevalence of German in Antwerp there seems to be less excuse. At present, of course, it is extremely unpopular, but in normal times there is almost as much German spoken in Antwerp as there is English or French, and vastly more than there is Flemish. Possibly the Antwerpians learned it merely because it is akin to Dutch, and therefore easy for them to master; possibly because they are born linguists and dislike to see any language lying around that they do not know how to speak.

A sign over the entrance to the Central station, Antwerp, indicates that city's mono-lingual position. It reads: "Entre—Entrance—Ingang—Eingang." (Ingang is both Flemish and Dutch.) On the mail boxes one finds "Lettres—Brieven—Druksels—Imprimes." After a day in Antwerp one gathers that the multiplicity of languages is solely for the benefit of the stranger; for the Antwerpian any one of them would be sufficient.

In Brussels everyone speaks French. Brussels is the Little Paris. Its moving pictures are in French—the titles and leaders—and one hears little but French on the streets. In passing it might be remarked that it seems queer to the American to see a dashing Wild West movie thrown on the scene, in which the Indians and half-breeds write French notes one to the other!

By way of disproving that it is a one-language town, however, the sign posts on the main streets of Brussels are printed in both French and Flemish. Also one sees about town such signs as "Beware of Pickpockets—Opgepost voor de gauwdieven—Mefiez-vous des pick-pockets—Man hute sich vor tashendieben."

When one gets into the rural districts the situation is different. In the north of Belgium, as has been said, the language is Flemish. The farmers there speak nothing else. But in the south there is little or no Flemish spoken, that section having absorbed just enough of the French language to confuse it hopelessly with their own and evolve a patois that is guaranteed to puzzle anyone who has not been raised in the midst of it.

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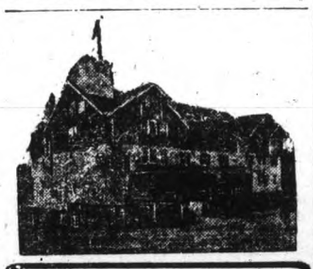

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

All personal items sent by mail for publication must be signed with the name and address of the sender.

E. Williams, of Vancouver, is at the James Bay hotel.

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E. D. Lyons, of Revelstoke, is at the James Bay hotel.

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Mrs. Neroutsos returned yesterday after a visit to Vancouver.

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M. A. Dillon, of Tacoma, is registered at the Empress hotel.

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George Duncan is a guest at the Empress hotel from Ottawa.

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Miss Petrie, of Belleville, is staying at the Empress hotel to-day.

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Col. E. J. Medley, of Duncan, is a guest at the Strathcona hotel.

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Fred Lucas, of Fort William, Ont., has arrived at the James Bay hotel.

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M. J. Cafferata, of Vancouver, is registered at the James Bay hotel.

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A. F. Noel is staying at the Strathcona hotel while here from Vancouver.

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William Carlisle, of Vancouver, is among the guests at the Empress hotel.

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L. W. Shatford, M. P. P., was in the city yesterday on a brief business trip.

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W. C. Ives, of Calgary, is among the newly-arrived guests at the Empress hotel.

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R. E. Warburton is over from the mainland and is at the James Bay hotel.

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E. E. McMahan, of Seattle, is registered at the Strathcona hotel while in the city.

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F. E. Chamberlain is here from Los Angeles and is registered at the Strathcona hotel.

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E. J. Kitcham has arrived in the city from Toronto and is stopping at the Empress hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Longwell are among the newly-arrived guests at the Empress hotel.

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A. W. Stone is visiting the capital from Rivers Inlet, a guest at the Strathcona hotel.

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W. A. Sutton is a Vancouver visitor in the city. He is staying at the Strathcona hotel.

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H. S. Gallagher is visiting the capital from Portland and is a guest at the Strathcona hotel.

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H. Killam arrived in the city from Vancouver yesterday and is registered at the Empress hotel.

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C. A. Armstrong is staying at the King Edward hotel while here for a short time from Vancouver.

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S. J. Montgomery, of Vancouver, registered for himself and Mrs. Montgomery at the James Bay hotel.

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E. F. Slattery is among the San Francisco people at present in the city. He is at the Strathcona hotel.

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Miss Montgomery, of New York, and Miss C. E. Peabody, of Seattle, are staying at the Empress hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Ornam are Los Angeles visitors in the city. They are staying at the King Edward hotel.

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Among the Duncan people spending a short time in the city is Mrs. Parry. She is a guest at the Strathcona hotel.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. Gordon Duncan arrived in the city from Shawnigan Lake and are staying at the Empress hotel.

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A. McFayden is among the Vancouver residents who are visiting the capital. He is staying at the Strathcona hotel.

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Mrs. Harry Briggs entertained yesterday at a smart tea, bridge and music forming the principal pastime for the occasion.

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Mrs. W. J. Dowler and her son Jack have returned from Harrison Hot Springs, where they spent a fortnight at the St. Alice hotel.

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R. M. Winslow, provincial horticulturist, left last evening for Toronto to attend the Dominion fruit conference, which begins on September 2.

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Mr. and Mrs. Alan Gaunt, of Pender island, arrived in the city on Monday, accompanied by their small son, and are staying at the Ritz hotel.

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R. W. Robertson, of Glasgow, who has been on a trip to Australia, arrived yesterday by the R. M. S. Marama and is staying at the James Bay hotel.

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Robert E. Lovett, chairman of board of directors of the Union Pacific railway, arrived in the city last evening, with Mrs. Lovett. They are staying at the Empress hotel.

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Miss Bertha Winn, of Seattle, who is organizing a special department of school work under the Victoria school board, arrived in the city yesterday. Miss Winn is a graduate of Columbia university.

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Dr. F. Montizambert, inspector of marine hospitals and director-general of public health for the Dominion of Canada, arrived in the city this morning. He is accompanied by Miss Montizambert.

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Hon. Price Ellison has returned to the city. He attended sessions of the royal commission on redistribution at Penticton, Salmon Arm, Vernon, Armstrong and Enderby. He also attended the irrigation convention at Penticton.

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Herbert Northcott, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is visiting his uncle, City Assessor Northcott, accompanied by Mrs. Northcott and son. The illness of his father, A. I. Northcott, has necessitated his presence in this city. Mr. Northcott is secretary of the Brooklyn Y. M. C. A.

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Sir Donald Mann, vice-president of the Canadian Northern railway system, arrived in the city this morning and is staying at the Empress hotel.

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Rev. Hermon Carson officiated last Wednesday at the wedding of Mary, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Doyle, of Morris, Illinois, and William Douglas Davidson, of Victoria, son of George Davidson, of Bedlington, Eng. Mr. and Mrs. Miller, friends of the young couple, accompanied them.

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Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Sperling left Vancouver on Saturday night for London, England, to take up their residence there permanently. Mr. Sperling, formerly general manager for the B. C. Electric Railway company in British Columbia, is to join the directors' board and will be assistant to the chairman in London.

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CHICAGO WOMEN HELPING.

Daughters of the Empire in the United States Collecting for Hospital Ship Fund.

It is interesting to note how far-cast is the imperial spirit which unites the peoples of the British empire in such crises as the present. Attention has been called by a member of the Prince of Wales Chapter, Imperial Order, Daughters of the British Empire, of Chicago, to the support which is being given at the present time to the hospital ship scheme promoted by the Daughters of the Empire in Canada.

"The Prince of Wales Chapter," says the excerpt from the Chicago paper, "will join with all thirty-two chapters of the order in the United States and co-operate with the Daughters of the Empire in Canada in contributing to the equipment of a hospital ship which the women of Canada are giving to the admiralty. This was decided on at a special meeting, after which Mrs. G. Cooke Adams, the regent, made the announcement."

A special hospital ship committee was formed, and an urgent appeal to all British men and women in Chicago was made for contributions. A systematic campaign is also being conducted for widows and orphans.

NEW SCHOOL OPENING.

Building on Wildwood Avenue Will Supply Church and Sunday School Services for Residents.

Next Sunday afternoon at 2.30 Rev. Dr. Leslie Clay will conduct the opening services in the newly-constructed Presbyterian Sunday School building on Wildwood avenue, near the Fowl Bay car line, Fowl bay.

The new building has been almost entirely built by voluntary helpers under the superintendence of W. McNarland, and is a very substantial proof of the interest and enthusiasm felt by people in the district, and their realization of the need of a Sunday school for the young people of the neighborhood. Cash, material, and helpers were readily given to the enterprise, which has been put up in an incredibly short time. The walls are wainscotted, and finished with cedar board, while electrical lighting has been fitted throughout.

A cordial invitation is extended to people in the neighborhood in addition to all those who were more directly interested in the enterprise, to be present at the inaugural services to be held on Sunday next. Children particularly will be welcomed.

WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Aug. 26.—5 a. m.—The barometer is about thirty inches over this province, and fine, moderately warm weather continues, with fogs on the coast. Fine cool weather also prevails in the prairie provinces.

Forecasts.

For 36 hours ending 5 p. m. Thursday.

Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, fine, not much change in temperature.

Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, fine, not much change in temperature.

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 30.03; temperature, maximum yesterday, 66; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles S. E.; weather, clear.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.04; temperature, maximum yesterday, 72; minimum, 52; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.98; temperature, maximum yesterday, 82; minimum, 52; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.

Barkerville—Barometer, 30.02; temperature, maximum yesterday, 68; minimum, 42; wind, calm; weather, fair.

Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.04; temperature maximum yesterday, 80; minimum, 56; wind, 4 miles N. W.; weather, cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.06; temperature, maximum yesterday, 78; minimum, 54; wind, 4 miles N. W.; weather, cloudy.

Temperature.

Penticton	88
Nelson	81
Calgary	70
Edmonton	66
Prince Albert	56
Winnipeg	68
Toronto	68
Ottawa	62
Montreal	64
St. John	64
Halifax	68

Victoria Daily Weather.

Observations taken 5 a. m., noon and 5 p. m., Tuesday:

Temperature.

Highest	66
Lowest	51
Average	58

Bright sunshine, 8 hours 48 minutes.
General state of weather, fine.

HOLDING GARDEN FETE.

Sunshine Chapter Will Devote Proceeds to Happiness of Unfortunate Children in City.

The Sunshine Chapter I. O. D. E. is busy with the preparations for the garden fete to be held on Saturday afternoon at the beautiful grounds of the regent, Mrs. Rattenbury, Beach drive, Oak Bay. The proceeds of the undertaking are to be devoted to an effort to bring happiness into the lives of less fortunate little people in Victoria, and it is hoped that the public will give the undertaking liberal support, and make a point of attending the proceedings.

Dances and an out-door concert will form but a part of the pleasures which will be provided, and there could hardly be a more delightful manner in which to pass the afternoon than in the enjoyment of the al fresco entertainment. The proceedings will continue from 3 to 6.

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Fine voile, trimmed with sets of tucks, drop shoulder, finished with hemstitching and short sleeves edged with Valenciennes lace; front of waist and collar trimmed with lace; **$3.50.**

Marquisette, trimmed with eyelet work and embroidery down front, Cluny insertion inset, collar edged with Cluny lace; three-quarter sleeve; **$5.00.**

Allover Embroidered Marquisette, effective design. New shape collar and vest made of batiste and edged with narrow guipure lace, pearl buttons, three-quarter sleeve, narrow cuffs also of batiste; **$5.75.**

Pongee Silks at 25c and 35c

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FIRST THINGS

The first kindergarten school in America was opened in St. Louis 41 years ago to-day, August 26, 1873, and from there the German system of education of very young children spread all over the United States and to Canada. "Kindergarten" is German for "children's garden," and the system was originated by Frederick Froebel, who founded the first infant's school in Hamburg in 1849. In the same year Mr. and Mrs. Ronge started similar schools in Germany and England. In 1858 Ronge published his work, "Kinder-garten," which gave a great impetus to the movement. Knowledge is imparted in an attractive form, chiefly by simple object lessons, and the system, as described by Ronge, is based principally on self-tuition, and enlivened and made interesting by toys, games and singing. The kindergarten has become increasingly popular on this side of the Atlantic, and is now incorporated in the public school system of most large cities.

TO-DAY IN CANADIAN HISTORY

A race against time around the world, in which Canadians were very much interested, was completed three years ago to-day by Andre Jaeger-Schmidt, a Frenchman representing the Paris newspaper Excelsior. He was the first man to girdle the globe in less than fifty days, traveling 19,300 miles in thirty-nine days, nineteen hours and forty-three minutes, an average daily rate of 480 miles, or twenty miles an hour. From Paris Jaeger-Schmidt proceeded to Russia and thence by the Trans-Siberian railway to Vladivostok. He then proceeded to Japan, where he took a steam ship for Victoria. He crossed Canada on the Canadian Pacific railway to Montreal, where he was given a great reception by the French-Canadians, and proceeded thence to New York, where he boarded a fast liner for Cherbourg. Jaeger-Schmidt's record has since been excelled by John Henry Mears, a representative of the New York Evening Sun, who made the world trip of 21,066 miles in thirty-five days, twenty-one hours and forty-three minutes, an average rate of 587 miles a day, or twenty-four and one-half miles per hour. His route was longer than that chosen by the Frenchman, but he gained two days over Jaeger-Schmidt's record in crossing the Pacific and made another considerable gain by going across the United States to New York, instead of to Montreal. Mears followed much the same route as Jaeger-Schmidt, arriving in Victoria on the Empress of Russia. A heavy fog hung over Puget Sound, and held up his vessel for twelve hours beyond his schedule. Mears seemed doomed to failure in the last lap of his journey until the Canadian authorities went to his rescue and took him off in a tug.

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A lady entertaining an important guest was giving final instructions to her new maid just arrived from the country. "Now, Polly," she said, "in the morning take a jug of hot water up to Mr. Chumleigh's room. Be sure not to forget it." The lady though no more of the matter until the next day, when at noon she remarked casually: "You took that hot water up to Mr. Chumleigh's room this morning, I suppose?" Polly beamed. "Why, yes, mum. I was so frighteded I'd forget it I took it up overnight."

"Why do you insist upon having the biggest share of the pudding, Sammy?" asked a nurse of one of her little charges. "Isn't your older brother entitled to it?" "No, he isn't," replied the little fellow. "'Cos he was eating pudding two years before I was born!"

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Cook St., North End—50x120. Price $950; $100 cash, balance easy.

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Woodstock Ave., Fairfield Estate—Beautiful residential lots, 60x138 each. Price $3,000 each. Prepared to receive offers in the neighborhood of the price. Terms arranged to suit.

Corner Lot at Spring Ridge, together with 5-room cottage. Price $2,550. As much cash as possible, balance $25 per month.

Victoria West—55x145, with double frontage, 5-room dwelling; close to car line. $1,000 cash, balance arranged. Price $2,800.

Oak Bay, Cowichan St.—5-room new cottage with furnace; lot 35x115. Price $4,200; $1,000 cash, balance on terms to suit.

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Portage Avenue—Splendid building lot, 50 x 120, overlooking Gorge. Price **$950.** Terms, $200 cash.

Ker Subdivision—A very choice building lot, 51 x 128, for **$800.** Easy terms.

South Saanich—Two Acres Meadow Land; would make an ideal chicken ranch; close to electric car and station; **$1200.** Easy terms.

MONEY TO LOAN.

FIRE INSURANCE WRITTEN.

SPORTING NEWS

VICTORIA CLUB TO FINISH SEASON LOCAL SPORTSMEN HOLD FRANCHISE

Wilhoit Reports to Coast League Club Immediately; Delmas Back at Short; News of Baseball World

Victoria will remain in the Northwestern league. Owner Kingham stated this morning that he was completing arrangements with a couple of Victoria sportsmen who will take over the club. Mr. Kingham is willing to do everything in his power to hold the club here and there is no doubt that the Bees will finish the season intact, though the management will once more change hands. A meeting will be held between Mr. Kingham and the prospective purchasers this afternoon, when the transfer of the club will be completed.

It was announced this morning that Joe Wilhoit has been requested to report to the Venice club at once, which means that Victoria will have to play Scanlon in the outfield for the balance of the season, Delmas getting back into the game at short.

Fort Wayne, Ind., Aug. 26.—President Louis Heilbroner, of the Central league, has given out a list of players who are likely to be sold before the close of the sale period, and of whom inquiries have been made.

The list includes: Cramer, Atkins, Bratchi and Holderman, Fort Wayne; Fahrer, Wachtel, Gharrity and Clemens, Dayton; Ponder, Stell and Marshall, Grand Rapids; Wetzell and Reilly, Springfield; Baker, Mathews and Tepe, Evansville; Sheehan and Vann, Terre Haute.

Paul Fittery, of Evansville; Wachtel, of Dayton, and Tydeman, of Grand Rapids, have been sold, the two former to Cincinnati and the latter to Wichita.

Class AA clubs have made offers for Grefe, Evansville and Norton, Springfield.

New York, Aug. 26.—Manager John J. McGraw, of the Giants, announced that he will remain in this city next winter, having called off the proposed trip of the Giants and an American league team to South America. McGraw and Charley Comiskey had talked the plans over, but McGraw, after giving Comiskey his word, has reconsidered. While the White Sox owner still clings to the idea, McGraw will wait until 1915 before going to Cuba and South America.

Jersey City is the only team that occupies the space between Toronto and Montreal, and the cold dark floor of the cellar in the International league. The other Canadian teams mixed up in international squabbles are doing much better. Vancouver is leading in the Northwestern and Winnipeg is out in front in the Northern.

Holke, the new first baseman from Spokane, is making the trip with the Giants. The players say he looked promising in yesterday's game in Syracuse.

DONATES TROPHY

ROBERT DOWSWELL

Victoria lacrosse enthusiast, who has donated a splendid trophy to the juvenile lacrosse clubs of the capital for annual competition between the playground teams. The first matches for this trophy will be held next week.

BURNS HAS FINER ASPIRATIONS NOW

Former Heavyweight Champion Passes Through City En Route Home

Tommy Burns may soon be a member of the Australian house of representatives if his present plans carry. The former heavyweight champion of the world passed through Victoria last night on the R. M. S. Marama on his way home to Calgary, and while he had nothing to say for publication, it is understood that he is making plans for an early return to the Antipodes.

Burns went over to Australia this spring in charge of a string of fighters, of whom Arthur Pelkey was the headliner. Pelkey's failure to sidestep numerous wallops on the jaw led to his being defeated steen times in a row with the result that Burns cut adrift from his entire stable of boxers. The Canadian pugilist then went on the stage, doing a vaudeville turn.

He was accompanied on the voyage from the Antipodes by Mrs. Burns and their two children, the entire party going right through to Calgary.

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Because of the squabbling at Brighouse Arena, Joe Bayley has called off negotiations for his return bout with Johnny O'Leary and the Victoria lightweight will endeavor to rest his hands until things pick up in the fighting world. There is a strong probability that Bayley will go down to California again this fall, in which event he will probably be matched with O'Leary over the twenty-round route at Los Angeles.

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New York, Aug. 26.—Leach Cross, of this city, and Jimmy Duffy, of Buffalo, will be opponents in the twenty-round bout at Vernon, Cal., on Labor day afternoon. Tom McCarey, the promoter, wired to Duffy asking his terms. When the latter sent them on McCarey wired acceptance, so there is nothing left now but for the men to start training for the mill. Cross is now a big card around Los Angeles by virtue of his well-earned victory over Joe Rivers the other night.

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Sydney, N. S. W., Aug. 26.—Hughie Mehegan retained the Australian lightweight title by knocking out Herb McCoy in the seventeenth round of a scheduled twenty round bout here on Saturday night.

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French sporting men are feeling peevish over Jack Johnson again. It develops that Johnson has just gone to England to take up a vaudeville engagement, and that he has not made good his offer to turn his automobiles over to the French government and enlist "for the hardest kind of fighting." Johnson has not been a Frenchman long enough to get the full swing of French patriotism.

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San Francisco, Aug. 26.—Jex Smith, the American middleweight, who has just returned from Australia, says that Jimmy Clabby, claimant of the world's title, will return to the United States the latter part of September.

MANY TEAMS EAGER.

According to Proxy Gilmore, there are three or four minor leagues anxious to enter into agreement with the Feds, also seven or eight cities, each with unlimited backing, demanding a 1915 Federal league team.

CANOE RACE NEXT SATURDAY AT GORGE

Preparations are being made by the members of the Y. M. C. A. for Saturday's canoe race at the Gorge for the possession of the cup donated by Mrs. Savory, Gorge road. The course will be from the Y. M. C. A. camp to the arm and back, about two and a half miles. Pleasure canoes, not more than sixteen feet in length, must be used.

Last evening's handicaps at Oak Bay resulted as follows:

220 yards—1, Harwood (12 yards); 2, Donne (scratch); 3, Hedley (20 yards).

Mile—1, Harwood (20 yards); 2, Hedley (scratch); 3, Donne (80 yards).

Shot put—1, Hedley (5 feet 6 inches); 2, Donne (2 feet 3 inches); 3, Harwood (scratch).

In total points gained in these handicaps A. White is now leading with 50, Harwood being second with 33, and E. White third, with 19.

VANCOUVER STILL BEATING BALLARD

Tacoma, Aug. 26.—Noyes held Tacoma to two infield hits yesterday, while McGinnity was hit freely, the visitors breaking their losing streak by a 4 to 0 victory.

Score—	R.	H.	E.
Spokane	4	10	1
Tacoma	0	2	2

Batteries—Noyes and Shea; McGinnity and Stevens.

Seattle, Aug. 26.—Vancouver bunched hits in the last two innings yesterday and defeated Ballard 3-0.

Score—	R.	H.	E.
Vancouver	3	11	2
Ballard	0	4	2

Batteries—Callahan and Haworth; Harstad and Cheek.

TEAM AVERAGES

Team Fielding.

	PO.	A.	E.	Av.	DP.
Vancouver	3,417	1,789	193	.962	90
Spokane	3,423	1,678	207	.961	99
Ballard	3,364	1,783	218	.959	76
Seattle	3,428	1,641	230	.956	107
Victoria	3,338	1,788	251	.952	75
Tacoma	3,512	1,697	277	.949	79

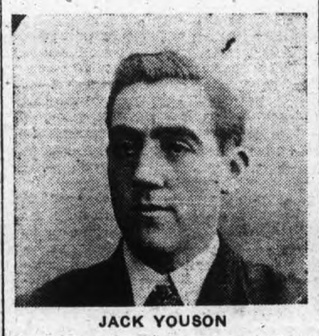
Team Batting.

	AB.	R.	H.	Av.	SB.
Spokane	4,211	542	1,097	.261	169
Vancouver	4,292	533	1,105	.258	167
Seattle	4,134	485	1,024	.248	161
Tacoma	4,331	494	1,063	.245	127
Ballard	4,210	442	1,001	.236	141
Victoria	4,091	488	929	.227	119

Team Summary.

	2B.	3B.	HR.	TEB.	SH.
Spokane	159	59	24	349	163
Victoria	153	28	37	320	148
Ballard	163	44	19	308	137
Tacoma	169	27	28	307	141
Seattle	164	47	12	294	162
Vancouver	182	30	17	293	172

SEASON OPENS SOON



JACK YOUSON

Manager of the Victoria West Soccer team, who announces that he will have the majority of his last year's eleven in uniform this season.

HOWARD NOW SECOND FOR BATTING HONORS

Del Howard is only one point below Gus Fisher in the race for Coast league batting honors, but Gus maintained the .343 clip he had been hitting the week before, while Howard fell from .357 to .342, having had a bad week of it against the Oaks.

Buddy Ryan jumped up three points during the week and is now tied with Fred Derrick, each having a mark of .310. Ellis, Elliott and Fitzgerald all remain near the top, while Rodgers is back in the .300 class again. Dutch Kores is but one point under this figure, but Doane and Lober are having a hard time of it.

Doane is not far out of the .300 class, but Lober has been dropping steadily, and will find it a tough task to climb back on this pedestal.

Rodgers continues to lead the baserunners with 58 stolen sacks, with Schaller his nearest rival. As Schaller has only 36 to his credit, there isn't much of a race in this department.

Maggert has caught Carlisle, who has been the leading run getter of the circuit, as each have now scored 82 runs. Rodgers is ninth on the list, having scored 68 times, more than any of the other Portland players.

Martinoni, with seven wins and two defeats, leads the pitchers, giving him a percentage of .778. Higginbotham, with 21 victories and 12 defeats, is right up among the leaders, as is Rieger, with 11 wins and six defeats.

SOCCER LEAGUE TO MEET THIS EVENING

Victoria's soccer solons will gather to-night for the organization meeting of the Victoria Football association. The different teams will file their applications for the year, and preparations will be made for the drawing up of the different division schedules.

A meeting of the Civic A. A. A. will be held in the council chamber at the city hall to-night, when steps will be taken to form a football club.

GIPE EASILY WINS OVER LOCAL SQUAD

Seattle Makes It Two Straight in One-sided Contest; Narveson Very Wild

Seattle's Giants continued their winning streak at the expense of the Bees at the local ball park yesterday afternoon, winning 9 to 1. Al. Gipe held the Victoria crew to four safe blows, while the invaders found Narveson's delivery for eleven clean bingles. Huhn's home-run drive over the centre field fence, with the bases filled, put the game on ice, but it was big Al. Gipe, the blonde slab artist, who really deserved the credit for the victory. This twirler came through in the fifth with a triple that scored the first two runs of the game, the pair of counters being enough to win. Huhn's homer came as a result of a missed third strike that Narveson broke over the heart of the plate on Charlie Swain, the outfielder walking and Huhn putting the ball over the fence immediately after.

Narveson and Gipe started out in grand style, but the Victoria slab artist weakened and was unable to hold the Sound City hitters. The Swede had his curve ball working nicely, but he was wild and the batters had him in the hole continually, the Seattle hitters smashing the grooved balls right on the nose. Victoria never had a chance with Gipe, who, though very wild, settled down in the pinches. The Bees did not get a hit until the seventh, when Driscoll hammered one to the centre field screen. Gipe was backed up by brilliant support, Fries' one-handed stab of Nye's long drive and a snappy double play which Raymond started being the fielding features. Babe Driscoll also got into the calcium with a couple of nice heaves from right field that retired runners at the plate.

Huhn was the batting hero of the afternoon, getting a single, triple and a homer, while Gipe and Fries drew down a couple of hits apiece. Calvo led the Bees with a pair of bingles, his hit in the ninth going for two bases when Fries missed the ball after a hard try. There was a noticeable lack of pepper in the work of the Victoria club, though Narveson's wild toss to first on Fries' grounder was the only misplay. The club does not show the old fighting spirit that won so many games earlier in the season. The presence of several weak hitters on the team also handicaps the Bees when it comes to driving runs over the pan.

Umpire Frary tacked five-dollar fines onto Killilay and Cadman for their warlike demonstrations and the former American leaguer had no difficulty with the players thereafter.

Seattle—	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Killilay, c. f.	5	0	1	1	0	0
Raymond, s. s.	3	2	1	4	5	0
Swain, c. f.	4	1	0	1	0	0
Huhn, 1 b.	4	1	3	6	0	0
Brashear, 2 b.	5	0	0	2	2	0
James, 3 b.	3	1	1	0	2	0
Cadman, c.	3	0	1	8	3	1
Fries, r. f.	4	2	2	5	0	0
Gipe, p.	3	2	2	0	1	0
Totals	34	9	11	27	13	1

Victoria—	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Nye, 2 b.	3	0	0	3	3	0
Driscoll, r. f.	4	1	1	3	2	0
Calvo, c. f.	4	0	2	1	0	0
Wilhoit, c. f.	2	0	0	0	0	0
Kelly, 1 b.	3	0	0	8	0	0
Lamb, 3 b.	2	0	0	2	0	0
Scanlon, s. s.	3	0	0	2	3	0
*Delmas	1	0	0	0	0	0
Hoffman, c.	2	0	1	8	3	0
Narveson, p.	3	0	0	0	3	1
Totals	27	1	4	27	14	1

*Batted for Scanlon in ninth inning.

Score by innings:

Seattle	0	0	0	0	6	0	1	2	0	—9
Victoria	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—1

Summary: Sacrifice hit—Cadman. Two-base hits—Calvo, Killilay, Fries. Three-base hits—Huhn, Gipe. Home runs—Huhn, Raymond. Stolen bases—Raymond, Nye. Double plays—Raymond to Brashear to Huhn; Hoffman to Nye. Bases on balls—Off Narveson, 6; off Gipe, 4. Passed balls—Cadman. Time of game—1.55. Umpire—Frary.

If a book is not worth thinking about, it is not worth reading.—Viscount Bryce.

We are only poor, helpless vote-catchers at best, we members of parliament.—Mr. Handel Booth, M. P.

TWO CENTURIES ARE SCORED FOR VICTORIA

Free Hitting at Mount Tolmie Carries Score to Largest Yet in Tournament

To-day's Games.

Jubilee Hospital—Victoria vs. Cowichan.

Beacon Hill—Vancouver vs. Seattle.

Mount Tolmie—University Incogniti vs. Nanaimo.

Yesterday's Centuries.

Carstairs, for Victoria against Incogniti, 116.

Gillespie, for Victoria against Incogniti, 103 (not out).

Standing in Tournament.

	Won.	Lost.	Drawn.	Pct.
Victoria	2	0	0	.100
Vancouver	2	0	0	.100
Cowichan	1	1	0	.05
Nanaimo	1	1	0	.05
Seattle	0	2	0	.00
Incogniti	0	2	0	.00

Yesterday did not go by without a couple of centuries in the Pacific northwest cricket tournament, both being scored by Victoria, the favorite for the championship, against the Incogniti. Carstairs, who made a century in club cricket last Saturday, played another innings for 116, while Gillespie also reached three figures with 103, not out. It was thus again a brilliant victory after a disastrous start, the first six wickets being down for under a dozen.

The Victoria total was 317 for nine wickets, against the Incogniti total of 129, to which the principal contribution was that of Bennett, a free hitter, who made 67.

Cowichan v. Seattle.

As anticipated the Cowichan eleven, composed as it is of several substitutes from other clubs, was more than a match for Seattle, and the Sound team was beaten at the hospital grounds by 37 runs. The Islanders made 146, Taylor, Coles and Drake being the principal contributors to the total. Seattle began very badly and lost five wickets for 28 runs. Then came a long stand of the stonewall type, for which the team had to thank Fenwick, Moore and Lamb. When Cowichan went in again Orr hit freely and had registered 67 of the total when stumps were drawn.

Vancouver v. Nanaimo.

Thanks to a stand by Harvey and Crane, Vancouver won easily yesterday from Nanaimo, scoring 213 runs against 161 obtained by the Islanders. The mainland team did not open well, and when the fifth wicket fell there did not seem much prospect of success. Hurst was caught with a simple ball when he had contributed a useful 29. Crane played a careful game, and would not take any chances running, when he had opportunities to steal a few at a critical time. Harvey drove and cut freely to boundary, and his total figure was well deserved.

Nanaimo had a very useful contribution from Leighton of 66, otherwise the team did not measure up to the standard of Monday's play. Two Victorians playing for the team, Ward and Westwood, were the principal contributors to the total. Hood and Pooley took most of the Nanaimo wickets, and the innings closed early for 161. At the tea interval the Vancouver Nomads had the game well in hand with 139 for six, and within a few minutes of resuming play the necessary runs were obtained. The remaining wickets carried the total of 213.

NATIONALS CLAIM MANY HOCKEY STARS

Ottawa, Aug. 26.—The Nationals of Montreal, aspirants for a franchise in the National Hockey association, have written officers of the Ottawa club requesting their support when their application comes up at the annual meeting. Nationals announce that they have signed Newsy Lalonde, Didier Pitrie, Dick Laviolette and other French Canadian players, thus showing that they are determined to steal a march on George Kennedy and break into pro. hockey.

Furthermore, the Nationals intimate that if again turned down by the N. H. A. they will proceed to organize their new league with teams in Ottawa, Toronto and Montreal. There is little likelihood, however, of any changes taking place in the make-up of the N. H. A. this winter. Six-man hockey will be continued.

SPORTING GOSSIP OF THE DAY

A meeting of the Victoria Football association will be held to-night.

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Bayley's return bout with O'Leary has been called off.

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Lou Godfrey and McNeil are very evenly matched.

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The Labor Day sports should draw well.

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Willie Ritchie still declines to meet White.

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Hard luck for Johnson and Carpentier. They cannot resign from the army as they can from the squared circle.

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Wonder if Freddie Welsh can dodge bullets as he can wallops.

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Paul Slater, former Beacon Hill pitcher, has developed into one of the best amateur hurlers in the city.

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The Beavers should win the Bay league.

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Seattle and Vancouver are running neck-and-neck for the pennant.

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Kid McCoy will probably whip Charlie Horn next month.

☆ ☆ ☆

Percy McAdam, the local junior swimmer, is a coming champion.

Phoenix Stout, $1.50 per doz. qts.

To Contractors

Sealed tenders will be received by the undersigned up to 3 p. m., Tuesday, Sept. 8, 1914, for the following work on the proposed new Jail Building for the City of Victoria, in accordance with the plans, specifications and conditions prepared for that purpose by Mr. J. C. M. Keith, Architect: The parties tendering must send in with their tenders a certified cheque of five per cent. of the amount of their bid. Tender forms will be furnished those bidding for the work, and these only must be used.

Tenders will be as follows:
First, for all building construction.
Second, for all sanitary equipment.
Third, for all prison iron work.
Fourth, for all electric equipment.
Fifth, for all mechanical and heating equipment.

Tenders must be enclosed in envelopes and marked outside, "Tender for Jail." The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. GALT,
City Purchasing Agent.
Victoria, B. C., August 22, 1914.

NOTICE.

"Navigable Waters' Protection Act."

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that ARTHUR LINEHAM, of Victoria, British Columbia, is applying to His Excellency the Governor-General of Canada in Council for approval of the area plans, site and description of works proposed to be constructed at Royal Bay, Royal Roads, Esquimalt District, British Columbia, being the lands situate, lying and being in the District of Esquimalt aforesaid, and known as Section Fifty-Five (55), Esquimalt District, British Columbia, and has deposited the area and site plans of the proposed works and a description thereof with the Minister of Public Works at Ottawa, and a duplicate thereof with the Registrar General of Titles in the Land Registry Office in the City of Victoria, British Columbia, and that the matter of the said application will be proceeded with at the expiration of one month from the time of the first publication of this notice in the "Canada Gazette."

Dated this 24th day of July, 1914.

ARTHUR LINEHAM,
Petitioner.

IN THE ESTATE OF MARY TURNBULL

All persons having claims against the above named deceased are required to send particulars thereof, duly verified, to the undersigned on or before September 1, 1914, after which date the executors will proceed to distribute the assets of deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice.

Dated this 27th day of July, 1914.

JAMES TOWNSLEY,
P. O. Box 910,
F. BIRKETT,
Box 1294.
Executors.

NOTICE

In the Estate of John Marks, Deceased.

All creditors and others having claims against the estate of the late John Marks, deceased, who died on the 9th day of June, 1914, at Victoria, B. C., are required to send particulars thereof, duly verified, to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of September, 1914, and all persons or parties indebted to the said estate are required to make payment to the undersigned on or before the said date.

Notice is further given that after the said date the Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall have had notice.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 12th day of August, 1914.

TAIT, BRANDON & HALL,
Solicitors for the Executors, Alexander Hendry and James Murle, Sixth Floor, B. C. Permanent Loan Building, Douglas Street, Victoria, B. C.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

In the Matter of the Winding Up Act and In the Matter of the Canadian Puget Sound Lumber Company, Limited.

The Creditors of the above named Company are required, on or before the 10th day of October, 1914, to send their names and addresses and the particulars of their debts and claims and the names and addresses of their solicitors, if any, to Rowland F. Taylor, of Victoria, Official Liquidator of the said Company, and if so required by notice in writing from the said Official Liquidator are, by their Solicitors, to come in and prove their said debts or claims at the Chambers of the Supreme Court of British Columbia at such time as shall be specified in such notice, or in default thereof they will be excluded from the benefit of any distribution made before such debts are proved.

Monday, the 12th day of October, 1914, at 10.30 o'clock in the forenoon, at the said Chambers, is appointed for hearing and adjudicating upon the debts and claims.

Dated this 7th day of August, 1914.

B. H. TYRWHITT DRAKE,
Registrar.

NOTICE

The Victoria Incorporated Co-operative Fruit Growers Exchange, Ltd.

All debenture holders of the above Company are required to present or send their debentures for payment at the office of Yates & Jay, Central Building, Victoria, on or before the first day of September, 1914.

YATES & JAY,
Solicitors.

NOTICE.

In Re the Estate of Isabella Stewart, Late of Esquimalt District, British Columbia, Deceased.

All persons having claims against above estate are requested to send particulars, duly verified, to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of September, 1914, after which date the estate will be distributed amongst the parties entitled thereto, having regard to the claims only of which the Executors had then notice.

Dated 29th July, 1914.

E. HARRISON,
Lee Building, Victoria, B. C.,
Solicitor for the Executors, Elizabeth McF. Norris and Jasper Fowler.

LAND ACT.

Victoria Land District, District of Cowichan.

TAKE NOTICE that Wm. G. Rommel, acting as agent for the Canadian Explosives, Ltd., of Victoria, B. C., manufacturers, intends to apply for permission to lease the following described lands: Commencing at a post planted at a point on the low tide boundary of Lot 64, Cowichan District, distant 75 links north from where a witness post is planted on the high tides boundary of Lot 64; said witness post being north forty-seven degrees, forty minutes east (N. 47-40 E.), 59.93 chains from the initial post of Lot 64; thence north 3.25 chains; thence west 8.00 chains; thence south 4.00 chains more or less to the low tide boundary of Lot 64; thence easterly, following said low tide boundary of Lot 64, 8.50 chains more or less to the point of commencement, containing 2.90 acres more or less.

WM. G. ROMMEL,
Agent for Canadian Explosives, Ltd.
June 21, 1914.

ENGINEER THINKS WAR WILL BE BRIEF ONE

Former Resident Believes Republic Will Be Set Up in Germany Soon

An interesting visitor to the city to-day is J. H. Bacon, who was formerly harbor engineer for the Grand Trunk Pacific railway system, but who is now retired and living in Florida. Mr. Bacon is now revisiting the scene of his old-time labors and paid Victoria a visit on the way. Speaking on the universal topic of the day, Mr. Bacon said:

"In my opinion the war will last but a very short time. The very stupendousness of the struggle will curtail its length inevitably. Everything in the war is on a big scale—the number of lives at stake, the property and the armaments.

"But I think there is another side to the question, and that the war will have a beneficial effect on the world. It will bring things back again to a proper adjustment, and war will be made more difficult because people will not be spending money on preparations, and so will not be so ready to go into fight. I think all those insane expenditures on armament will cease.

"Of course you cannot destroy all that wealth without the effects being felt all over the world. But it will be replaced, of that I am confident. Germany will go under, of course, and her mercantile trade will probably be divided about equally between Great Britain and the United States.

"A republican form of government is going to replace the monarchies among German-speaking peoples. The Socialists have made great strides in the Teutonic kingdoms, and their influence will probably be infinitely stronger after the war than before. It seems to me that the Hohenzollern dynasty is very near breathing its last.

"Looking at the war from a naval point of view, I do not see how Great Britain can take the offensive. The Germans have already shown what their idea is—to keep their fleet safely in harbor. There would be, I think, no safe way of getting after them. It would be taking a long chance trying to get into the Baltic, or as a matter of fact to attempt to bombard any strongly fortified harbor. The odds in these up-to-date days are all against the battleship in a fight of that nature. The work of the British navy, which it seems to be doing very effectually, is thoroughly to blockade the German half of the North Sea and to look after any units of Germany's mercantile marine that have strayed too far from the fold. I think, however, that by this time Germany's merchantmen are either taken off the seas altogether or are standing snugly in port."

HUMAN PROCESSION

Although the French were defeated and crushed by the German armies in the war of 1870, many of the French officers and soldiers distinguished themselves in the losing conflict. One of the foremost of these was General Paul Marie Caesar Gerald Pau, the one-armed "hero of Froeschvillier" who was placed in command of one of the French armies at the beginning of the present war.

General Pau was born at Montelimar, France, 67 years ago to-day, shortly before the beginning of that revolution which resulted in the abdication of Louis Philippe, the downfall of the Orleans dynasty, the formation of the short-lived second republic, and the organization of the second empire. He entered the emperor's army in 1867, after graduating from the great military school of St. Cyr, and three years later, a young man of 22, he received his baptism of fire. He fought valiantly in several battles, and lost an arm at Froeschville, where his gallantry was such as to make him the idol of France.

Pau continued in the army after the third republic was built on the ruins of the empire, and in the course of time he gained a reputation as the greatest strategist and ablest commander in France. He became a brigadier-general in 1897, and a division commander in 1903, commanding the Twentieth army corps.

General Pau retired from active service in the army early in 1911, but a little later, when the war clouds were already gathering darkly on the horizon, there was a general public demand that he be made commander-in-chief of the French forces. The newspapers carried a crusade designed to force the government to name Pau, and the Monis government was ready to yield to the pressure when the ministry fell. The succeeding government is alleged to have taken the matter up with the one-armed hero, but it is alleged that he refused to accept the post unless he was given supreme authority over the army, with the privilege of appointing commanders of brigades, army corps and chiefs of staff. The government, remembering the Bonapartes and fearing a military dictatorship, refused to accept such terms, and appointed General Michel. There was a storm of protest at this action, and the ministry, to quiet the clamor, created the new post of inspector-general and offered it to Gen. Pau. He refused, writing the war minister:

"My one arm is always at the service of my country, but in times of peace I need it to support my family."

At the first indication of the outbreak of the present war, General Pau rejoined the army, and was placed at the head of one of the French armies.

"Clarence," said the American heiress hesitatingly, "I think that you should be told at once how my father made his money. Our business men in this country have methods to which one of your pure soul, whose motto is 'Noblesse Oblige,' cannot but——" "Cease, Mamie, cease," said the young lord reassuringly. "Tell me no more. However he made his millions, I can forgive for your sake. But—er—has he still got them all right?"

DID CHARITABLE WORK

Late Mrs. S. J. Brett Engaged in Philanthropic Work Sixty-Five Years Ago.

The funeral of the late Mrs. Sarah Jane Brett took place yesterday afternoon, Rev. Dr. Scott officiating, assisted by the Rev. F. H. Fatt. The services were very impressive, and the following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. H. E. Beasley, James Forman, J. S. H. Matson, N. T. Burdick, J. E. Wilson and E. E. Blackwood.

The late Mrs. Brett, a native of Presque Isle, Ontario, who was in her ninety-fourth year, was a daughter of the late Bishop Richardson, and granddaughter of John Dennis, whose family left Philadelphia in 1778 and removed to Canada. Mrs. Brett herself went to Toronto in 1824, where her charitable work began about 1850, with the founding of the Industrial House of Refuge, Toronto. She became shortly after this secretary of the Anti-Slavery society, the object of which was to provide occupation for the slaves who escaped to Canada. It was in 1873 that she was appointed vice-president of the newly-formed Y. W. C. A. of Toronto, and two years later, under its auspices, she organized the Toronto Relief society, of which she was president for twenty-five years, at the time of her death being honorary president of the organization.

Relatives who survive her in the province include Mrs. R. Ross Sutherland, of Fowl Bay road, a niece; a nephew, R. E. Brett, of Victoria; and two grandnephews, J. H. Roaf, of Vancouver and J. R. Roaf, of South Wellington.

SCRAP BOOK

Centenary of Joshua Stoddard, Inventor of the Steam Calliope.

Many men who achieved greatness in science, literature and the arts were born in 1814, but, in the opinion of the average small boy by far the greatest of them all was Joshua C. Stoddard, whose centenary will be celebrated today wherever the "big top" of a "greatest circus on earth" may be pitched. For Stoddard was the inventor of that most marvellous and excruciatingly delightful musical instrument, the steam calliope, without which no grand free street parade and gorgeous, glittering spectacle of the aggregated wonders of the world would be complete.

To the youngster the calliope represents the culmination, the apotheosis, the highest pitch of joy. For hours he has occupied a place of vantage, straining his eyes and ears for the first sight and sound of the "perade." There are and sound of the "parade." There are comes, but at last, after an eternity of waiting, his ears catch the first blare of the world's foremost aggregation of musicians. Another eternity and he sees down the street the waving plumes of the bandsmen, seated high in a magnificent chariot, drawn by half a dozen beplumed and embellished horses. He devotes a moment to speculation as to whether the man riding in the carriage in front is the owner of the circus, decides that he is, and envies him with all his heart.

The band passes in a blaze of glory and a sea of melody, and is succeeded by a procession of wonders and marvels which arouse in the breast of the youth sentiments and feelings of envy, ecstatic awe, a twinge of fear, ebullient mirth, and assorted thrills of all descriptions. The open cages of rare wild beasts win due appreciation, and the man who rides in the cage with the lions is exalted as the bravest man who ever lived. The closed cages, bearing pictures of ferocious animals such as never were on sea or land, arouse his curiosity to the highest pitch. He shrinks just a little as the elephants—rather, ponderous pachyderms—shuffle by, holding each other's tails. The peerless equestrians on their prancing, dancing steeds excite his envy, and the clowns represent to him humor raised to its highest power.

In bewildering succession pass more cages, chariots, bands, gladiators, camels, horsemen, clowns, lady riders with painted faces and bored expressions, marvel and wonders of all sorts, and the boy fairly revels in the riot of color and sound. But alas, all things must end, and well it is for the lad that this is so, for joy too long continued becomes pain. Therefore it is with a sigh that is half relief and half regret that he sees down the street ascending spirals of steam, and there breaks upon his ears sound waves of penetrating, raucous music, loud, blatant, shrill. It is a strange contrivance that brings up the rear of the glittering procession—a cross between a steam engine and a piano—a collection of steam whistles pitched to produce various notes and operated by a man at a keyboard and a stoker.

Unappreciative elders may stop their ears, or take to flight, when the steam calliope appears, but to the lad it is the music of the gods, the appropriate and necessary finale. And it is well named, for Calliope was the muse who presided over music and heroic poetry and eloquence, and the mother of Orpheus, whose music charmed savage beasts and awakened even inanimate nature into life and rapture.

Genius and inspiration dwelt in the breast of Joshua C. Stoddard, inventor of the calliope and benefactor of juvenile humanity.

They had just renewed their acquaintance after five years. "Upon my word, Miss Weatherby," he said frankly, "I should hardly have known you, you have altered so much." "For the better or for the worse?" she asked, with an arch look. "Ah, my dear girl," he said gallantly, "you could only change for the better!"

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LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE WANTED —No canvassing or soliciting required. Good income assured. Address National Co-Operative Realty Co., V-1389 Marden Building, Washington, D. C.

WANTED—Persons to grow mushrooms for us during the fall and winter months; waste space in cellars, barns or outhouses can be made yield from $20 to $30 per week. For full particulars and illustrated booklet, apply Montreal Supply Company, Montreal, Canada. o6

$5—PRIVATE Christmas greeting card sample book free. Solicitors make five to ten dollars daily. Bradley-Garretson, Desk C, Brantford, Ont. a29

WANTED—Immediately, reliable man to milk cow twice daily, in Fairfield district. 1142 Leonard street. Telephone 1509Y. a26

HELP WANTED—FEMALE

WANTED—Girl, about 14, to help look after children. Apply Mrs. Tierney, Ballydonough, Craigflower road. a26

WANTED—General help. 1402 Stadacona avenue. jy11 tf

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS

HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS and shacks to rent, very cheap. 2842 Douglas St. a26

FURNISHED housekeeping rooms. 314 Oswego. s11

CENTRALLY LOCATED housekeeping rooms, nicely furnished, with hot and cold water, gas range, bath, light, phone and laundry, $2 weekly and up. 805 Cormorant. s9

FURNISHED HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS, 15 minutes from City Hall; rent reasonable. 600 Gorge road. Phone 1697R. s7

TO LET—2 large, front, housekeeping rooms, gas, light and bath, very reasonable. 906 Caledonia avenue. a26

TWO LARGE, front, furnished housekeeping rooms. 1903 Quadra. a27

AT 1309 STANLEY AVENUE—Two or three unfurnished rooms to let, corner of Stanley and Fort St., moderate. a27

TO LET—Clean, furnished, housekeeping rooms and cabins, free kitchens, all conveniences, $4 per month. 1036 Hillside avenue. s22

LOST AND FOUND

WILL PERSON who found English setter bitch, no name on collar, kindly communicate or return to 704 Yates street. a27

LOST—Lady's Old Country silver watch. Finder Phone 1705. Reward. a31

LOST—On Saturday, a gold locket and chain. Locket engraved with the figure of a bird. Finder please phone 2086R. a26

LOST—On Esquimalt car, Sunday afternoon 4 o'clock, a blue covered book of sermons, entitled "Saved by Hope." Return to B. C. Electric Office, or Phone 4760, and receive large reward. a26

LOST—On Sunday, in or near Heywood avenue or Rupert, diamond ring. Suitable reward, 865 Heywood. Phone 998X. a26

ROOMS AND BOARD.

1426 STADACONA AVENUE, adjoining park; large rooms, piano, English cooking. 1 acre garden; moderate terms. Phone 2686R. s1

COMFORTABLE ROOM AND BOARD, reasonable, close in. 615 Vancouver St. Phone 3820X. s13

GOOD BOARD AND ROOM, $6.50 per week; also housekeeping room. 942 Pandora street. s13

LARGE, PLEASANT ROOMS, first-class, modern, with meals; terms moderate; near Parliament Buildings and Park. 641 Superior street. s9

GOOD BOARD AND ROOM, American cooking. 2531 Government street. s11

ROOM AND BOARD—Two young men. 1232 Richardson. a30

ROOMS—With or without board, terms low. 2516 Government. Phone 3957.

JAMES BAY HOTEL—South Government street. Residential and family, magnificent location, facing Beacon Hill park, only 4 blocks from Post Office, 100 rooms, modern throughout, excellent table, French chef; special inclusive rates by week or month. Phone 2304.

THE BON ACCORD, 845 Princess avenue. First-class room and board; terms moderate. Phone 2857L. s19

FIRST-CLASS ROOM AND BOARD, furnace; modern rates; block above Cook street. 1157 Johnson street. s20

ROOM AND BOARD—For lady or gentlemen teachers, in Fairfield; price reasonable. Apply at 110 Eberts street. a27

SITUATIONS WANTED.

PRINTER desires situation on editorial staff. John Clazie, Liskeard, Ontario. a26

WOMAN wants house work or washing. Box 273, Times. a26

MAN wants situation on farm, good milker, English and Canadian experience. Box 278, Times. s31

BOOKKEEPER, AND CASHIER, experienced, wants position. Is also thoroughly efficient correspondent and typewriter. Very highly recommended locally. W., Box 1080, Post Office. s15

WANTED—Sewing. Will do dressmaking, re-modelling, children's clothing or plain sewing. Box 261, or Phone 1297L. a31

YOUNG MAN, married, good references, wants position as chauffeur, business or private. Phone 2551. a26

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.

WANTED—A nice little saddle horse, or drive. Apply Box 304, Times. a27

TENDERS WANTED for painting. Apply 2630, Richmond road. a25

WANTED—A five-passenger motor car for cash; must have starter and electric lights, 1914 model, Overland, McLaughlin, Studebaker, Paige or Hudson preferred. Address "Motor," P. O. Box 631, Victoria. a28

WANTED—A nice, light, rubber tire buggy. Apply Box 283, Times. a26

WANTED—Sloop, about 30 ft., with cabin and auxiliary. Give particulars and price to Box 295, Times. a26

Oak Bay Corner

New five-roomed cottage, including new furniture.

$4,500

Terms, $700 cash, balance to suit purchaser.

Many built-in features. Heated by furnace.

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EXCHANGE

EXCHANGE—Corner, Montreal street, 40x90, for residential lots or small acreage, title. Owner, 4668R. s11

UNFURNISHED ROOMS.

TO LET—3 or 4 large rooms, unfurnished, on waterfront and car line, all conveniences. 718 Esquimalt. a26

WANTED—LOANS.

LOAN OF $2,500 at 8 per cent. wanted on property worth $25,000. Box 303, Times Office. s2

FOR SALE—LOTS

ESQUIMALT—We have several good buys on the car line. Call for particulars. Campbell Bros., 1007 Government St. s3

FOR SALE—HOUSES

$300 CASH—Bungalow, modern, 5 rooms and bath, large lot, beautiful garden, close to car; going away; price $3,600, below cost. Owner, 1856 Chestnut Ave. a28

FOR SALE OR RENT—Eight-room house, all modern conveniences; no reasonable offer refused; small cash payment; Yale street, Oak Bay. Apply 2333 Fowl Bay road, near Arena. j13 tf

FOR SALE—4-room house, unfinished inside, near Harriet road station, for $750, third cash. Apply Box 314, Times. a31

MUST SELL—4-roomed house, toilet, bath, etc., electric light, sewer, chicken house, fruit trees, on lot 53x145, inside mile circle, close to new High School; price $2,625, $425 cash, balance arranged. Guarantee Realty Co., 29 Winch Building. a26

FOR SALE—On monthly payments, two new, fully modern, six roomed houses, with all latest improvements, in best part of Fairfield. Phone owner, 7401R. a27

FOR SALE—ACREAGE

FOR SALE—A few acres land, with fine house and good barn, black soil, all cleared, nice surroundings; price about half what might be considered a fair valuation, ¼ cash, rest to suit; purchaser to have option of cancelling bargain and getting first payment back with 7 per cent. interest when second payment becomes due. Box 256, Times. a26

SALE OR EXCHANGE—2½ acres, Finnerty road, 3-room dwelling, 2 chicken houses; price $5,000, or will take paid up lots for equity. Pullen, 2056 Oak Bay avenue. Phone 3543. a26

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

USED HEINTZMAN PIANO, equal to new; see this instrument to-day. Gideon Hicks Piano Co., opposite Post Office. a26

FOR SALE—Violin, Strad. model, and known to be over one hundred years old, in first-class condition; can be seen by appointment. Apply Box 322, Times. a28

WANTED—By Sept. 12, furnished bedroom, large kitchen, or small kitchen and dining room, where small baby can be kept; rent must be moderate. Would rent part of house or cottage. Reference if necessary. Box 326, Times. a28

FOR RENT—Houses on Fell street, 6-room, modern, close to car; house on Fernwood road, fully modern, desirable location; in Esquimalt, near Lampson, on Lyall street, 8-room, fully modern house. Apply T. H. Slater, 511 Union Bank Bldg., or Phone 4899. a28

WANTED—Good auto. Box 328, Times. a28

SECOND-HAND PIANO for sale at low price. Gideon Hicks Piano Co., opposite Post Office. a26

HORSES—Wanted to rent, with a view to purchase, a horse about 1,600 lbs. Phone 2084R2. a26

A COMPLETE SET "Chambers' History of the World," 25 volumes, Morocco bound; also "Makers of Canada," bound in half leather, Parkman edition, 21 volumes, index included. What offer? Both sets new. Box 324 Times Office. a28

TO RENT—On Bank, near Fort street, 6 roomed, new, modern house, 2 toilets, furnace, garage, full sized lot; to a desirable tenant will rent for only $25 per month. Apply R. Grubb, 205-6 Central Bldg., Broad street. s3

WANTED—Some dough troughs for bakery. Box 325, Times.

FOR RENT—Single, well furnished, housekeeping room, electric light, gas, etc., close in; $12 per month. 1031 Pandora ave. a26 tf

INQUIRY IS CLOSED

Investigation Under Water Act for Local Land Districts Held Yesterday; 25 Cases Considered.

Some 25 cases were before the board of investigation held yesterday at the parliament buildings under the water act to consider cases affecting streams in the North and South Saanich, Highland, Lake, Victoria, Esquimalt, Goldstream, Metchosin, Sooke, Otter and Renfrew land districts. Most of the formal proofs of title were submitted and were approved, but a small percentage ignored the investigation and the records will be cancelled.

Most of the applications were for water for domestic purposes. The only three of a public character were the city's and the Esquimalt Waterworks company's records and those of the B. C. Electric railway for hydro-electric purposes. The claimants could prove their title by producing in case of crown granted lands the title deeds or a certificate of encumbrance, and in the pre-emption record, the agreement of sale, the mining record, or other documents of title.

This is the second inquiry held on Vancouver Island, one having been held at Duncan. Others will be held at Alberni, Nanaimo and elsewhere. Numerous meetings have been held in the interior, where the industrial uses of water have been more developed than on Vancouver Island.

J. F. Armstrong is chairman of the board.

Personal

Yesterday afternoon, in the vestry of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church, Rev. Dr. Clay officiated at the marriage of Joseph Thompson, a clerk of the C. P. R. in this city, and Miss Edith Davidson, of Aberdeen, Scotland, who has just arrived in the city. The young couple were attended by Miss Marion Hosie and John Hosie as bridesmaid and best man respectively. The wedding took place at 3 p. m. Mr. and Mrs. Thompson will live in Victoria.

OBITUARY RECORD

The death occurred last night at a late hour of Margaret Elspeth Legg, wife of Edward Legg, superintendent of the Victoria Chemical company, limited. The deceased lady, who was a native of Durham county, England, had lived in Victoria for the past 25 years, the family residence for some time having been at 1330 Bond street, where her demise occurred. Beside her husband, who has been confined to the house for some time with illness, she is survived by five young children, two brothers and four sisters. The funeral will take place at 2.30 on Friday, from the B. C. funeral chapel, Rev. Mr. Sweet conducting the services.

The funeral of the late Robert Benjamin Kemp took place on Monday afternoon from the chapel of the B. C. Funeral company, Rev. Thomas Keyworth conducting the services. A great many of the friends of the deceased man attended the services, and the casket and hearse were laden with flowers. The pallbearers were Messrs. G. Boulton, T. Wallace, W. Spencer, W. Wagland, W. Dinsmore, and A. Stockley.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

HALF HOUSE, downstairs; also a furnished, two roomed cottage. Apply 1902 Chambers street. a28

FOR SALE—Brown velvet dress (new). Phone 348L2, or write "Bargain," Tillicum P. O. a26

TO LET—Housekeeping rooms. 863 Pandora street. s2

I WILL LOAN $1,800 to build a small house on lot in choicest part of Fairfield; lot can be bought for $1,200, half cash, balance on mortgage. Box 6015, Times. a28

DIED

LEGG—On August 25, 1914, at the residence, 1330 Bond street, Margaret Elspeth Legg, beloved wife of Edward Legg, of the Victoria Chemical Co., aged 44 years; born in England.

The funeral will take place from the B. C. Funeral Co.'s chapel, 734 Broughton street, on Friday, August 28, at 2.30 p.m., where service will be conducted. Interment in Ross Bay cemetery.

LE PAGE—On the 25th inst., at the Jubilee hospital, the death occurred of Lemuel Le Page, aged 74 years, a native of Prince Edward Island. The deceased had been a resident of this city for the past twelve years and has been in the province for the past twenty-five years. He is survived by two sons, William Morley Le Page, of Winnipeg, and J. H. Le Page, of this city; also three daughters, Miss Mary Le Page, of Victoria; Mrs. W. B. MacNamara, of Winnipeg; and Mrs. Herbert Wheeler, of Victoria.

The funeral will take place on Friday, the 28th, at 2.30, from the funeral parlors of Hanna & Thomson, 827 Pandora Ave. Rev. Dr. Scott will officiate.

Friends kindly accept this intimation.

EXCELLENT WEATHER HELPS CRICKETERS

Several Good Scores Compiled To-day in Pacific Northwest Series

In superb cricketing weather the Pacific Northwest tournament was continued this morning, with three games.

In the University Incogniti-Nanaimo match the university batted first. The feature of the game was the splendid bowling of Leighton, who took eight wickets for 49 runs, no fewer than four being clean bowled. Tatlow, who is a University school boy, played a capital innings, and with Finlayson added 30 runs for the last wicket. He scored one 5 and five 4's, and did not give a single chance. His cutting and driving gave great promise of a successful cricketing career. Finlayson, another University boy, also played good cricket for his score of 19.

At Mount Tolmie the University Incogs played Nanaimo.

University Incogs. Innings.

V. R. Bennett, l.b.w., b Leighton	22
F. H. Sparks, b Leighton	1
A. H. Ackroyd, hit wkt., b Leighton	7
R. V. Paten, c Jepson, b Leighton	14
J. Wenman, c Foot, b Jepson	6
J. C. Barnacle, c Foot, b Leighton	4
W. Lutyns, b Leighton	0
A. H. Finlayson, b Leighton	19
A. G. Tracy, b Westwood	7
J. Tatlow, c Curry, b Leighton	38
Extras	10
Total	128

Bowling.

	R.	W.
Leighton	49	8
Jepson	27	1
Westwood	24	1

Nanaimo Innings.

H. Jepson, not out	7
E. P. Ward, not out	7
Extra	1
Total (for no wickets)	15

The Cowichan met Victoria at the Jubilee hospital grounds. The Cowichan eleven batted first. The outstanding feature was the batting of D. W. Taylor who included 12 boundaries in his score of 74. He and McAdam added 74 runs for the second wicket and laid the foundation of what was expected to prove a big score by the Cowichan eleven. The score follows:

Cowichan Innings.

E. A. V. Murphy, b W. York	11
D. W. Taylor, c and b Gillespie	74
W. A. McAdam, b Goward	26
H. R. Orr, c sub., b Gillespie	12
F. C. Drake, not out	3
Extras	10
Total (for 4 wickets)	136

To bat—Brooke-Smith, Cole, Bagnall, Barlas, Cryer and Strange.

VANCOUVER v. SEATTLE.

Vancouver Innings.

W. S. G. Hurst, l.b.w., b Fenwick	43
K. A. Auty, b W. Lawrence	15
W. G. Bullen, c Fenwick, b Lawrence	4
E. S. Hood, c Nichols, b Butters	0
H. Nelson, c and b Fenwick	16
B. Harvey, b Coppinger	12
J. Crane, b Fenwick	8
R. H. Pooley, b Coppinger	14
G. P. Bainbridge, c Nichols, b Fenwick	0
W. J. Williams, not out	0
S. C. Peters, c and b Coppinger	0
Extras	9
Total	121

Bowling.

	R.	W.
Coppinger	19	3
Fenwick	41	4
Lawrence	21	2
Butters	11	1
Moore	12	0

Seattle Innings.

C. W. Lawrence, c Pooley, b Hood	13
A. Moore, b Crane	0
M. Coppinger, c and b Hood	6
E. Fenwick, not out	11
H. C. Nicholson, b Crane	10
G. Nichols, run out	4
W. Lamb, c Bainbridge, b Crane	4
W. S. Smith, not out	0
Extras	2
Total (for 6 wickets)	50

To bat—Butters, Pemberton and Dow.

London, Aug. 26.—Kent beat Warwickshire by 99 runs in a county cricket fixture at Gravesend. The Northamptonshire match at Leyton was drawn. C. D. McIvar and G. B. Davies made 118 and 100 respectively for Essex. The Middlesex-Surrey match at Lords' was also drawn. B. Hendryn made 124 for Middlesex.

"Father, why do giraffes have such long necks?" "In order that they may feed from the tops of trees," replied the father. "But why," asked the son, "are the trees so high?" "In order," was the reply, "that the giraffes may be able to eat."

Mr. Housefly: "Well, dear, I begin to realize that our time on earth is short." Mrs. Housefly: "Yes, but we have little to regret. We have been sober and industrious, and have raised a family of ten billion children."

ARRANGEMENTS FOR PHYSICAL TRAINING

Department of Education Lays Down Rules for Guidance of Teachers

Walter Smaill, the new physical instructor at the High school, has already taken over his duties. The first class was held yesterday.

The department of education has issued a circular with regard to the Strathcona trust for encouraging physical training and military drill, acceptance of the terms four years ago having made physical training compulsory. The circular says: "For the purposes of competition and an inspection of physical training, the division of the province into the present inspectorial districts has been accepted by the members of the local committee for British Columbia, who are charged by the executive council of Strathcona trust with the administration of the grants to the province from the income derived from the trust funds donated by the late Lord Strathcona for the objects named above. All awards in the competitions for prizes for physical training shall be made on the recommendations of the High school inspector and the respective Public school inspectors. The prizes offered below represent the accumulated grants for physical training of the past four years. After the present school year the amounts at the disposal of the local committee for prizes during any one year will therefore be much smaller.

"For competition among the high and superior schools of the province during 1914-15, the local committee of the Strathcona Trust has allotted the sum of $150 for physical training, and has directed that this amount be divided into five prizes, as follows: 1st, $50; 2nd, $40; 3rd, $30; 4th, $20; 5th, $10.

"The local committee has also set aside $975 for physical training prizes in the graded and common schools of the province. The sum of $75 has thus been allotted to each inspectorate to be divided into three prizes, viz.: 1st, $35; 2nd, $25; 3rd, $15. Inspectorate No. 4, which includes Vancouver city, Burnaby, Delta, Point Grey and Richmond municipalities, and is in charge of three inspectors, has been regarded as three inspectorates and will receive a grant of $225.

"The above-described prizes are to be awarded to those rooms which most nearly meet the conditions of physical training outlined by the Strathcona Trust, and it is suggested by the local committee that the inspector shall allot marks when inspecting physical training on the following plan: 20 per cent. to be allotted for discipline, orderliness and cleanliness, the discipline and orderliness to be judged during the ordinary school-work as well as during physical exercises; 35 per cent. for the performance of physical exercises of prescribed text-book; 45 per cent. for general physique and health of the school. The manner in which the children sit at the desk and carry themselves when walking or standing still should be carefully noted, an erect carriage being of prime importance.

"The teacher to whom an award is made shall be entitled to two-thirds of the prize, the other third to be expended for a picture or some piece of apparatus (suitably inscribed) for the room in which it was won."

WAS WELL KNOWN

Late Lemuel Le Page, Who Came to Victoria Twelve Years Ago, Carried on Butcher Business 13 Years.

The death occurred yesterday at the Jubilee hospital of Lemuel Le Page at the age of 74 years. Mr. Le Page has been in the province for the past 25 years, and in the city for the past 12 years. He had up to recently followed his vocation as a butcher and was well known in the province in that industry, having carried on a business in Vancouver for over 13 years.

He is survived by two sons, William Morley Le Page, of Winnipeg, and J. H. Le Page, of this city; also three daughters, Miss Mary Le Page, of Victoria; Mrs. W. B. MacNamara, of Winnipeg, Man., and Mrs. Herbert Wheeler, of Victoria. He was born in Charlottetown, P. E. I.

The funeral will take place on Friday at 2.30 from the parlors of Hanna & Thomson, 827 Pandora avenue. Rev. Dr. Scott will officiate.

MEETINGS

Visitor to Lecture.—Rev. Dr. B. F. Austin, of Los Angeles, Cal., author, editor of Reason, teacher and lecturer at the Mozart theatre, Los Angeles, is in the city, a guest of Dr. T. W. Butler for a few days, and will lecture at the Progress temple on Pandora avenue this and to-morrow evenings at 8 on interesting aspects of the new thought movement. Admission is free and the public will be welcomed.

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Canadian Order of Foresters.—A meeting of Court Columbia No. 834, C. O. F., will be held in the A. O. F. hall on Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. All members and visiting brothers are requested to attend.

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Home Guard.—The home guard will fall in at the drill hall at 8 p. m. sharp, Thursday, Aug. 27. All ex-service men and citizens wishing to join will give in their names at same time.

Sentenced to Four Years.—Fung Tuey, a Chinaman, was sentenced this morning to four years' imprisonment for attacking another Chinaman, Wong Sun, with a hatchet in a Chinese restaurant on Fisgard street at the end of last month. The case occupied considerable time in the city police court this morning.

FIRST VOLUNTEERS LEAVE THIS CITY

Detachment of 70 Men From Fifth Regiment Given Rousing Send-off

Bands played, children sang, men cheered and women wept as 70 officers and men of the 5th regiment marched through the streets this afternoon and boarded the S. S. Princess Mary at the C. P. R. wharf to go to Valcartier, Que., and take their places in the contingent of Canadian soldiers who will in a few days cross the sea to join the British army in the defence of the empire. Crowds lined the down-town streets as the brave little company marched gallantly past and everywhere hearty cheering acclaimed their determined bearing. They were picked men in every sense and not a person saw them but was convinced that the first detachment from Victoria would live up to the highest traditions of Canada's citizen soldiery.

The volunteers were allowed a few hours' leave this morning to say goodbye to their loved ones. By noon, however, all were in their quarters at Macaulay Plains busy getting their kitbags packed and donning their Oliver equipment. At 1 o'clock the bugle sounded "Fall In" and Lieut.-Colonel Winsby, commander of the regiment, reviewed his patriotic followers before they moved away. Firm hand grips were exchanged by the officers and men with their friends. There was little ceremony of farewell. Suddenly the colonel ordered them to march and headed by the band they proceeded across the plains. There was a hoarse cheer, the band struck up the "British Grenadiers," and they disappeared over the hilltop.

In Esquimalt road the 5th was met by the pipe band of the 50th Highlanders and the mountaineers' skirling alternated with the tunes of the 5th regimental band through the streets. The progress through Government street was a continuous round of cheering and waving of handkerchiefs. An escort consisting of the 50th Highlanders and B. C. Horse marched from Fort street to the boat with them. The children of the Central, North Ward, South Park and High schools gathered on the Empress hotel lawn, sang Rule Britannia and the Maple Leaf as the soldiers passed.

At the wharf another huge crowd was assembled and in this were many mothers, wives, sisters and sweethearts of the departing men. Tears were as frequent as cheers among the spectators as the men filed up the gang plank, but when the boat slowly pulled away from the dock the cheering that broke out was tremendous and was answered by the familiar precise cheering of the organized troops on board.

These men travel as passengers on the regular trains to Valcartier, where they will be placed probably in small groups in various batteries of field artillery. The artillerymen are required in camp earlier than the infantry because of the more technical nature of their work, and they will need some time to be broken in to their positions in the new batteries. They carried no rifles or sidearms as the regimental Lee-Enfields will be replaced by Ross rifles at the camp.

The cars are not ready at Vancouver yet for the infantry to leave. The 1,000 troops from the interior of the province will be leaving to-morrow, and it is considered possible that the 50th and 88th may start on Friday, but no word has yet come from the C. P. R.

The two overseas companies of the 50th Highlanders and the B. C. Horse had a sham fight at Mount Douglas this morning when the B. C. Horse and a detachment of kilties under Major Bapty fought the Highlanders under Major Lorne Ross. Blank ammunition was used.

A parade of the home guard has been ordered for 8 o'clock Thursday evening at the Central school grounds, when drill instruction will be given.

Capt. Stern, who is senior officer with the 5th Regiment volunteer detachment, was the recipient of good wishes from the local lodge of the Independent Order Bnai Brith, of which he is a member.

TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE

At Washington — Cleveland-Washington game postponed, wet grounds.

At Philadelphia—	R.	H.	E.
Chicago	0	7	1
Philadelphia	5	10	1

Batteries—Cicotte, Wolfgang and Mayer; Shawkey and Schang.

At Boston—	R.	H.	E.
Detroit	2	4	0
Boston	5	7	1

Batteries—Oldham, Cavet and Stanage; Gregg and Cady.

NATIONAL LEAGUE

At St. Louis—

First game	R.	H.	E.
New York	0	3	1
St. Louis	1	4	4

Batteries—Marquard, Demaree and Meyers; Doak and Snyder.

At Chicago—	R.	H.	E.
Boston	0	1	1
Chicago	1	6	1

Batteries — Tyler and Cheney and Archer. Gowdy;

NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.

Seattle, 9; Victoria, 1.
Vancouver, 3; Ballard, 0.
Spokane, 4; Tacoma, 0.

Standing.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Vancouver	83	52	.615
Seattle	83	53	.610
Spokane	74	58	.561
Tacoma	68	79	.424
Victoria	54	80	.403
Ballard	52	82	.388

I have only won two prizes in my life. I do not think I have tried as hard as I ought. The greatest prize I have ever won is the position I am now occupying. —Lord Mayor of London.

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THE BRITISH EMPIRE AND THE PRESENT WAR

(From the London Times.)

A few hours of unprecedented crisis have sufficed to show the world that the five democracies of the British empire stand firm and united in the face of the great ordeal of war. Though each of them has been for many years an absolutely autonomous community in regard to its own affairs, the four younger Commonwealths still leave to the mother country supreme control of the empire's relations with foreign powers. It is a vast responsibility which is thus cast upon the British government. In moments of peril like the present the members of that government are compelled to take decisions which directly affect the life and future, not only of the country which elects them to power, but of four other self-governing communities and of nearly four hundred million subjects of different race. When Great Britain goes to war the whole empire is at war. Neutrality is not possible for any of these other communities except by declaring its independence and discarding its allegiance to the king. Short of that, they are liable to all the rigors which can be inflicted on belligerent states. Their commerce is the legitimate prey of any enemy ship. Their coasts are open to any attacking force which can forfeit on exactly the same terms as those of the parent people whose government has cast the die for war. It is said that democracies all tend to a selfish particularism; it is beyond dispute that they demand a very real voice in making or marring their own fates. How then can such a responsibility as the British government now bears be reasonably and adequately discharged?

The answer is given, for the moment, by the splendid assurances of support which the dominions have already and so promptly conveyed. Even though they have no voice in the policy by which peace or war is made—and this great weakness in imperial relations we must in future study and by some reasons remove—they recognize to the full that, when the crisis comes, they stand or fall by the great decisions on which naval power depends. The continuance of the empire, as we know it, is absolutely conditioned by effective command of the sea. Without it our communications with each other would lie at the mercy of the greater naval power, which could then divide and isolate our forces, threaten every branch of the vast seaborne commerce by which we live, and reduce our separate liberties in turn. The wealth and freedom of every dominion is vitally connected with the security of its communications by sea; and, in so far as the dominions also depend in no small measure upon the strength and wealth of the United Kingdom, they share the even more crucial interest of these islands in the ocean roads which bring two-thirds of the people's food and a great part of the raw material of the people's industries. Vital to the British Isles since first seafaring opened up the world, control of the seas is now as vital to the whole empire which sea power has built up. Naval strength is a fundamental necessity, and it has become almost an instinct with the British race. Any challenge to our sea supremacy finds all the British communities united in defence; and to resist such challenges, to prevent their ever taking a form which we may not have power to defeat, is the guiding principle of the foreign policy which the British government pursues. That vital common interest is the key to the unanimity of judgment on which the government of this country, for all its isolation in responsibility, is able at great crisis to rely. The dominions know that there is nothing aggressive or tyrannical in our claim to maintain a predominant fleet; and we know that when the predominance of that fleet is challenged, or the conditions on which its predominance depends, they will rally to the British standard as one man.

Our naval predominance and the conditions on which it depends are gravely threatened now. It sometimes contended that Great Britain is drawn into "the vortex of European militarism" by an ill-judged and short-sighted preoccupation with European affairs. Those affairs, it is urged, are of no concern to the empire at large: they are conducted by dynastic and undemocratic influences; they represent an obsolete tradition from which Great Britain and the young British commonwealths should be free. It is true that Great Britain is a European power, and that the younger commonwealths are not; but the purposes and principles for which she intervenes in European diplomacy are as much their purposes and principles as hers. Her interests are twofold, and so are theirs. The first is to prevent any such aggregation of power upon the continent of Europe as would give a dominant position to one or more of the European governments. That is the traditional principle to which British foreign policy has always conformed, and its purpose is the common imperial purpose of preventing any European government or group of governments from securing the position and resources which would enable them to challenge British supremacy at sea. The Triple Entente, by which Great Britain has developed a policy of common action with France and Russia, is based, so far as Great Britain is concerned, upon that long-established principle. She cannot permit Germany, in league with the central European powers, to crush France and establish thereby a dominant position in western Europe, Belgium, and the Netherlands, which would enable her to concentrate superior naval strength against the British fleets. Great Britain has no quarrel with either Germany or Austria-Hungary. The German people are a kindred race, and they are now in friendlier relations with ourselves than for many years past. The Emperor Francis Joseph has more than once proved his regard for Great Britain, and he is held by the British people in affectionate respect. But these considerations cannot affect such fundamental necessities as our possession of sea-power. When once France is challenged by Germany, that supreme interest of the British empire comes into play, and we can stop at no sacrifice to make good our naval claims.

The second great interest which the whole empire shares equally is the maintenance of peace. It is second only to security; and these two purposes, security and peace, are the root of our determination to keep our sea supremacy intact. The world can suffer no greater disturbance of its peace than a successful challenge directed against British sea-power, the link which binds a world-wide system of government. Foremost in that government are five democratic commonwealths, seeking only to preserve to themselves and to their children the heritage of free and responsible citizenship which all their constitutions were framed to realize. Dependent upon that government is a vast congeries of subject peoples ranging from the acient civilization of India to the farthest and lowest of human kind. This great system of government has no aggressive aims against other peoples or governments. It seeks only to assure the peace and welfare of its own citizens and subjects. It is by its very variety and extent the world's best guarantee of peace. It provides for law and progress in more than a third of the world's undeveloped territories, which would otherwise become the prey of competition, and conquest in ruinous forms. This great system stands for civilized relations between all peoples, and particularly between the great nations of the European family, against none of which has it any cause of quarrel. Europe still controls the greater part of the world, and upon that spirit of its international relations depends in very great measure the welfare and progress of every country in the world, as the terrible financial crisis of the last few days has only too clearly shown. It is the aim of Great Britain that international relations should never be broken by war, except in the last resort when honor and security are vitally engaged and diplomacy has failed. How can she be true to that aim, which she shares with all progressive democracies, if she fail to make the necessary sacrifices for it now? The peace of all nations is bound up with the issue which Austria-Hungary has raised. That monarchy has set itself to destroy the elementary liberties of a rising state upon its borders by a sudden and brutal appeal to force, and this action Germany is deliberately supporting. It is the action of powers which are prepared to use war as an instrument of policy whenever it seems likely to secure an advantage more effectively than diplomatic means. It is the very antithesis of our idea of war, which regards it only as the last arbitrament when every other human means has failed. In the name of all we stand for, we must resist it at all costs. Our interests and our ideals are equally at stake. We must be ready to die for them, as we have lived for them, or else to sacrifice them again and again to the policy of less enlightened and scrupulous governments, till at last the lower standards are supreme and ours are lost. We believe our cause in Europe and before the world to be the cause of light. In our European claims and in our European obligations there is no trace of militarist ambition or dynastic intrigue. We are guided by the great common aims and interests of British civilization, and we recognize with pride and affection how swiftly the judgment of our kinsmen throughout the world has swept away the phrases of weakness and indifference and ranged their manhood at our side.

Extract From "BRITISH MEDICAL JOURNAL" March 23, 1907.

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There was a shriek, and the little girl lay motionless beside the swing from which she had apparently fallen. A crowd of sympathetic visitors soon flocked round, and first aid was promptly rendered. "Poor little thing, she seems to be badly hurt," observed one of the helpers. But there were no signs of returning consciousness, and the watchers were becoming seriously alarmed, when one of the park-keepers appeared on the scene. "What's up?" he inquired. "Lemme have a look at 'er," he demanded after hearing the tale. "Heigh—gerroff wi' yergerroff this minit!" he shouted. Instantly the child jumped up and fled from the place like a hare. "Third time this week she's done that; it's wearin' work having to deal wi' such like," remarked the park-keeper resuming his round.

MOST BULLISH MARKET SINCE OUTSET OF WAR

Ordinary Selling Pressure Counted for Nothing in Wheat Pit

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Chicago, Aug. 26.—In many respects this was the most bullish day in wheat since the first declaration of war. The volume of trade was large at times. At each swell of a couple of cents the trade seemed to want to work for a reaction. The bullish feeling of the country and the trade is such that no ordinary selling pressure counted for anything, offerings absorbed instantly and when a couple of big houses who sold freely during the morning changed front and tried to buy, the pit brokers were lifted off their feet and prices advanced to 110 September, 115 December, 121 May. Seaboard reported English purchases of flour and cash wheat prices. Omaha and St. Louis several cents higher. Stop orders added force to the market as it advanced.

Corn futures up to 72¼ December advance of two cents, partly due to action in wheat. Southwest news bullish.

Oats advanced to new high records on fresh export sales and influenced by wheat and corn.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
Sept.	105	110¼	104	108⅞
Dec.	109½	115	108	113¾
May	115½	121⅞	114½	119⅝
Corn—				
Sept.	81½	82¼	80⅞	82
Dec.	71⅞	73¼	71¼	72
May	74	75½	73⅞	74½
Oats—				
Sept.	47¼	48⅞	47	48⅝
Dec.	49½	51¼	49	50¼
May	51½	53⅞	51½	53⅜
Pork—				
Sept.	21.50	21.52	21.45	21.45
Lard—				
Sept.	9.95	10.10	9.95	10.10
Dec.	10.55	10.75	10.50	10.70
Short Ribs—				
Sept.	12.62	12.62	12.60	12.60

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WINNIPEG MARKET CONTINUES BULLISH

Winnipeg, Aug. 26.—Wheat prices made another substantial advance this morning following the opening. Opening figures were ⅛c. to ⅜c. higher and within the first hour there were gains of around 2½c. to 2⅝c. over Tuesday's close on all months. The market continues bullish, the greater part of receipts being held by farmers, and general opinion being for higher prices. Later further advances occurred after mid-day, and during the last half-hour of business the market was wild and nervous and wide fluctuations, closing prices being 2½ to 5¼ higher. The cash demand for eastern milling interest continues strong for all grades of wheat, but offerings are light. Oats, barley and flax are in good demand. Exporters are doing nothing, prices being out of line. Cash grains closed: Wheat, 3⅝c. to 4⅝c.; oats, unchanged to 2c. higher; barley, 1c. higher; and flax, 1c. higher. Inspections Tuesday were 99 cars as against 171 last year. Included in yesterday's were 81 cars new wheat, 2 cars new oats, and 2 new barley.

	Open.	Close.
Wheat—		
Oct.	111½	114⅞
Dec.	111½	115¼
May	118	122½
Oats—		
Oct.	50	52⅞
Dec.	51	51⅞
Flax—		
Oct.	147	144
Nov.	..	145½
Dec.	..	145½

Cash prices: Wheat—1 Nor., 116⅞; 2 Nor., 114⅞; 3 Nor., 111⅞; 4 Nor., 102⅞.

Oats—No. 2 C. W., 52½; No. 3 C. W., 50; extra No. 1 feed, 50; No. 1 feed, 50; No. 2 feed, 49.

Barley—No. 3, 62; No. 4, 60; rejected, 58; feed, 56.

Flax—No. 1 N. W. C., 140; No. 2 C. W., 137.

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SPRING WHEAT OUTPUT.

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Price Current says the spring wheat crop for the United States may barely pass two hundred million, compared with 240 million last year and 232 million indicated last month.

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WORLD CROP CONDITION.

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)

Liverpool, Aug. 26.—Argentine shipments of both wheat and corn will be light. Weather generally favorable, being dry and cool.

France—Wheat mostly cut, but a very large area has been destroyed by the movement of troops. Small threshing is reported and early samples arriving from small farms show good quality.

United Kingdom—All crops show above the average with the exception of oats, which are much under the yield of last year, and free buying by the British government is confirmed. Prices rule high and buyers are paying the advance.

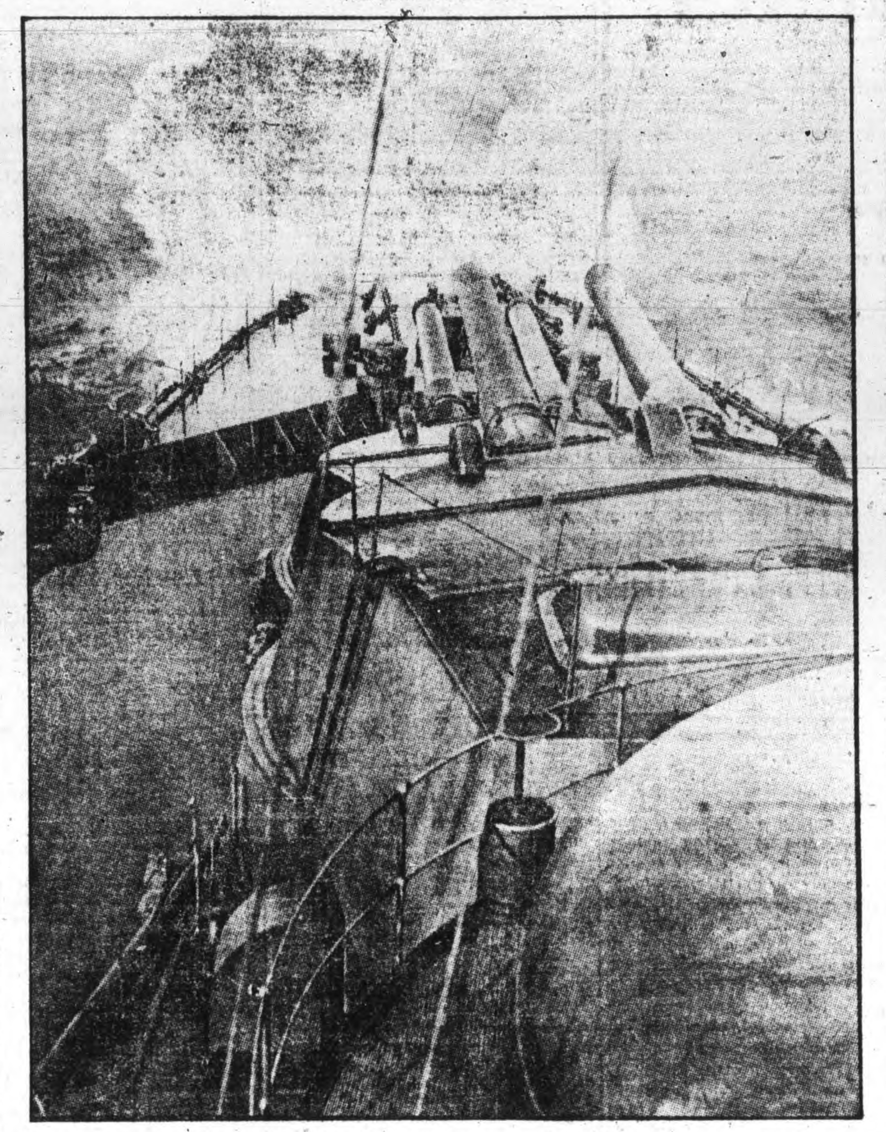
Australia—A general rain is wanted and the outlook is South Australia is favorable. Visible supply is light.

DR. ROCHE MAY HAVE TO RELINQUISH OFFICE

Winnipeg, Aug. 26.—The continued ill-health of the Hon. Dr. Roche, minister of the interior, is causing considerable anxiety to his colleagues and a change in the administration of the department will take place soon. Dr. Roche recently underwent a second severe operation at Rochester, Minn., and will undergo another before his return to Ottawa. Under these conditions he will not be able to resume permanent administration of his department.

The simple-hearted Weary One and the crafty Bill Sikes were supporting the walls of the works, their tins of untasted coffee in their hands. Bill's coffee looked like coal, while the Weary One had in his the added luxury of a small quantity of milk. Wherefore, as they say, did Bill covet the tin of the Weary One, and did decide to exchange beverages, should an opportunity occur. "Torkin' of pickpockets," said the Weary One, "I once 'eard of a chap wot could pinch a 'andkercher from a gent's sleeve." "Oh, that's nothin'!" laughed William. "I knows a cove wot can take yer 'at from yer 'ead without yer knowing it." But the Weary One was incredulous. Just then he was called away by the foreman, and on his return he picked up the tin which he had trustingly left with Bill, and his incredulity vanished like lightning. "Well," he exclaimed, "but me if this don't beat yer 'at trick, Bill. 'Ere's someone bin an' swiped the milk outer my coffee!"

Firing 13.5 Inch Guns on Board H.M.S. Audacious



The Audacious, a battleship of 23,000 tons, has ten of these 13.5 inch guns and sixteen 4-inch and four 3-pounders. Attached to Second Battle Squadron. Captain, Cecil F. Dampier; commander, Lancelot N. Turton.

WENT UP IN AEROPLANE TO LOOK FOR JAPANESE

Tsing Tau, Aug. 26.—A German aeroplane went up from Tsing Tau to-day to reconnoiter. The pilot failed to discover any evidence of Japanese warships at sea or of Japanese troops on land.

The Austrian cruiser Kaiserin Elizabeth has been dismantled and her crew left here by rail for Tientsin.

Manchester, N. H., Aug. 26.—Dr. K. Duma, the Austrian ambassador to the United States, to-day announced that he had received a wireless via Sayville, L. I., from the Austrian-Hungarian secretary of foreign affairs, saying that the emperor has commanded the Austrian cruiser Kaiserin Elizabeth, at Tsing Tau, to take up the fight together with the Germany navy. Diplomatic relations with Japan are broken off.

AUSTRIANS CLAIM TO HAVE WON ONE BATTLE

Berlin, Aug. 26.—(By wireless to the Associated Press by way of Nauen and Sayville, L. I., Aug. 26.)—Official reports made public in Vienna and received here by telegraph, say that a battle of three days' duration at Krasnik (in Russian Poland, 28 miles southwest of Lublin) ended yesterday in a complete Austrian victory.

The Russian forces were repulsed along the entire front of 70 kilometres (43 miles) and are now in full flight in the direction of Lublin.

AUSTRIAN LOSSES ON DRINA ARE INCREASED

London, Aug. 26.—A dispatch from Paris to the Reuter Telegram company says: "The losses of the Austrians in the battle of the Drina continue to grow, according to telegrams from Nish. The latest aver that out of 300,000 Austrians engaged, fifteen thousand were killed, 80,000 wounded and 15,000 made prisoners. Seventy-five guns were captured."

UNITED STATES TAKES OVER JAPAN'S EMBASSY

Washington, D. C., Aug. 26.—The Japanese ambassador in Vienna placed his government's interests in Austria in the hands of the American embassy to-day and planned to leave to-night for Berne, Switzerland, according to official dispatches. The message made no reference to a declaration of war on Japan by Austria.

ALLIES IN LORRAINE ARE TAKING OFFENSIVE

London, Aug. 26.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company from Paris says the French war office has issued the following communication: "In Lorraine the allied armies have taken up a combined offensive movement. The battle, recommenced yesterday, is still raging at the time this bulletin is issued."

BRITISH DETERMINED IN SPITE OF LOSSES

Russian Success Most Gratifying and Sensational News in London To-day

London, Aug. 26.—Since the withdrawal of the allied armies to the defences of the French frontier, virtually no news has reached the public of the military operations in southern Belgium. Owing to the difficulty of compiling a correct list along such a extended front no details of the British casualties which Premier Asquith estimated yesterday at 2,000, have been received. This delay is increasing the distress of anxious relatives of men at the front. The announcement of losses, however, only seems to have intensified British determination, judging from the extra work being performed by the recruiting officers to-day.

This tenacity of purpose was further evidenced by Premier Asquith in the House of Commons this afternoon in making the announcement that he proposed to ask King George to convey to the King of the Belgians the admiration with which Great Britain regarded the heroic resistance of his army and people to the wanton invasion of their territory and as assurance of the determination of this country to support in every way the efforts of Belgium to vindicate her independence, and the public law of Europe.

The premier declared further that the Belgian government was taking steps to get the established facts of German atrocities as related in the statement given out yesterday by the Belgian minister here to the knowledge of the whole civilized world.

The opponents of compulsory military service in Great Britain momentarily raised their heads in the House of Commons to-day but the premier reassured them. He said there was no intention of introducing this system. He added, however, that the secretary of war, Earl Kitchener needed all the recruits he could get. It was a great mistake to think, Premier Asquith declared, that Great Britain wanted only 100,000.

The rush of the main Russian army toward the fortress of Posen in the German province of Posen is regarded here as the sensational news of the day. It might account for the Germans falling back in eastern Prussia.

The report that the French have abandoned their positions in Alsace has not been confirmed, although it is labelled as official by the news agency which carried it. Other versions of the same official statement do not contain this reference and the French embassy to-day declared that it knew nothing of the matter.

RELIEF FUND £1,650,000.

London, Aug. 26.—The Canadian Pacific Railway company has donated £1,000 to the national relief fund, which stands at £1,650,000.

GERMAN TOGOLAND IS NOW BRITISH GROUND

London Aug. 26.—It was announced officially that German Togoland has surrendered unconditionally. The allies will enter Kamina Thursday morning.

Premier Asquith, in the House of Commons this afternoon read a communication from the commander-in-chief of the forces in British West Africa, saying that the authorities of Togoland, the German colony on the west coast of Africa, had offered to capitulate on terms. In reply the British officer said that the capitulation must be unconditional.

AUSTRIA NOT SEEKING REVENGE FROM ITALY

London, Aug. 26.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph company from Rome says that according to advices from Vienna, General Corad, chief of the Austrian staff, has sent the following message to the Italian government: "The reports published in Italy that Austria-Hungary has aggressive intentions against Italy in order to revenge itself for Italy's failure to participate in the war, are absolutely without foundation and stigmatized as malignant efforts put forth by a third party."

KING ALBERT IS NOW AT MALINE'S HEADQUARTERS

Paris, Aug. 26.—A dispatch to the Havas agency from Antwerp says that King Albert is at present at the Belgian army headquarters at Malines.

Two Saxon princes, the correspondent continues, have installed themselves in the royal chateau at Laeken. Laeken is a suburb of Brussels and has a royal park and a residence of King Albert.

Another dispatch to the Havas agency from Berne, Switzerland, says the German government has admonished the public to be economical in the use of kerosene and gasoline.

FIRING ON PACIFIC HEARD AT COOS BAY

Marshfield, Ore., Aug. 26.—Distinct and frequent firing at sea off Coos bay has been heard all morning and at 1 o'clock this afternoon was still plainly heard at Shore Acres, four miles south of Coos Bay bar. It is believed that the German cruisers Leipzig and Nuernberg and a British cruiser are fighting. Three vessels were sighted at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon off Cape Blanco. Mayor L. J. Simpson, of South Bend, telephoned Marshfield this afternoon that the firing is unmistakeably at a comparative close distance off shore.

In the battle of life, the man I would be disposed to back always is the man who tries to do what he has to do by means of hard work. It has often struck me how little the cleverness of the clever man amounts to, and how easily it can be supplanted by a certain amount of application.—Sir Frederick Treves.

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INFERNAL MACHINE WAS PRESENTED LONDON BANK

London, Aug. 26.—"An attempt to blow up one of the chief London banks," says the Evening News, "has led to an official warning to all banks to examine thoroughly on delivery all deep boxes deposited with them. A harmless-looking deep box was presented at a London bank for deposit in the strong room. A sharp ear caught an ominous ticking and an infernal machine was discovered in the box.

AEROPLANE OF GERMANY FELL IN BRITISH LINES

Paris, Aug. 26.—A German aeroplane fell to the ground inside the British line in the Quesnoy region yesterday and the two German officers on board were killed. Quesnoy is six miles from Lille.

The minister of agriculture to-day authorized the sale of frozen game in Paris. Large quantities of frozen rabbits in normal times are exported from France. As a rule they are kept in cold storage until the opening of the game season; under the present circumstances they will be used here.

Belgium has a frontier of 881 miles, Netherlands 268, France 381, Germany 60, Luxemburg 80. The Belgian seaboard is 42 miles.

TONNAGE OF NATIONS AT WAR.

The following figures show the number of ships owned by each nation affected by the war, with their total tonnage:

	No. Steam	Tons	No. Sail	Tons
United Kingdom	8,587	18,289,989	653	364,577
Germany	2,090	5,134,720	298	324,576
France	1,025	1,922,286	551	397,152
Italy	637	148,475	523	237,821
Austria-Hungary	433	1,052,346	12	3,373
Russia	747	851,949	507	201,896
Belgium	173	341,025	9	11,099

This makes a total of 16,245 vessels and 31,102,457 tons.

The class was at the moment engaged in geography. That is to say, about thirty small boys sat in a state of utter boredom while a little man stood in front of a map and made thin remarks through a ragged moustache about unimportant facts. In these circumstances the unexpected entrance of the inspector was almost in the nature of a relief to the weary youngsters. "Now, my little man," said the inspector in that patronizing tone really learned people always adopt when speaking to children, "can you tell me what the equator is?" "Yes, sir," said Tommy Styles, seeing that he was being addressed. "It is an imaginary line drawn round the world." "Quite right, my little fellow. Now, let us see whether you really understand what that means. Could you, do you think, tie a knot in the equator?" "Yes, I could, sir." "Could you, indeed!" answered the learned one in fine scorn. "And what sort of a knot now?" "An imaginary knot, sir."

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Bohemian Club Olive Oil	.30	Cresca Italian Olive Oil, gal. tins	4.00
Noel's Huile Viergi Olive Oil	1.00	Dixi Salad Oil, gallon	1.50
Noel's Huile Viergi Olive Oil	.50	Dixi Salad Oil, bottles	.25 and .50
Cresca Italian Olive Oil	1.25		
Cresca Pinard Brand Olive Oil	1.00		
Cresca Pinard Brand Olive Oil	.60		
Cresca Pinard Brand Olive Oil	.35		
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Sir Donald Mann Wishes to See Canadians Increase Natural Products

Sir Donald Mann, vice-president of the Canadian Northern railway system, who is now staying at the Empress hotel while on a short visit to Victoria, gave to the Times this morning his views on the way in which Canada can best remunerate herself for the sacrifices she is making while the great European war is in progress. He strongly advocates a complete "back-to-the-land" movement.

"The proper thing to do is to produce foodstuffs from the land as extensively and as widely as we can. This year the prices are high. Next year in all probability they will be higher. Labor, however, is plentiful and there is rich agricultural land throughout Canada in abundance.

"But the great crop-producing lands of Europe are gradually being throttled by the present war—the like of which has not been seen in history—and they will never complete the harvest over there. It is up to Canada to supply some of that deficiency."

Asked when the main line of the C. N. R. might be completed Sir Donald replied:

"I quite expect we will run the first train through from coast to coast before the close of the present year. The work is being pushed ahead to completion with all possible speed and expedition, and it is probable that steel from the Pacific right through to Quebec will be complete before Christmas."

"Will there be an retrenchment on the part of the company on account of the war?"

"On the main line none whatever. So far we have not taken off a single man from the work on the main tracking. It is in fact in the best interest of the company to go right ahead and finish this work, war or no war. But we have had to shut down on practically all our branch line work which would have gone ahead had not the war interfered with our plans.

"The line along the shore of Lake Superior we expect to have ready by the middle of September and all grading in British Columbia about the same time."

Asked as to the effect the war would have on general business, he replied that it would have the general result of restricting credits.

Sir Donald later had an interview with Sir Richard McBride.

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CONSIDERED OUTLOOK AT CONFERENCE HERE

Many Prominent Citizens Gathered at Parliament Buildings Yesterday

Statements made at the conference held in the executive chamber yesterday morning and afternoon by various busless men and heads of organizations sounded a note of reassurance at a time when people are inclined to look upon the financial situation in Canada more or less pessimistically.

The meeting was a representative one and included the members of the provincial executive, many members of the legislature, the mayors of Vancouver, Victoria, Nanaimo and New Westminster, the president of the Bankers' association, Vancouver, in addition to the heads of several provincial newspapers.

Sir Richard McBride, who occupied the chair, was the first to address the meeting. Speaking with respect to public works, the premier stated that while necessary economies would be practiced here and there, it was the intention of the government to carry out its programme of public works in its entirety. He had every reason to believe that the Dominion government would pursue a like course.

In respect to railways now in process of construction within the four corners of the province, he could say on behalf of the P. G. E. railway that work on the line would proceed without the slightest cessation and that steel would reach Lillooet before winter. The C. N. R. had also sent assurances by wire that the main line across the continent would be completed in about four months, while the president of the Kettle Valley railway had announced the pursuance of a similar policy.

It was a matter of regret that the war should have curtailed considerably the remarkable mining revival which had spread throughout the province during the past few months. Unfortunately the collapse of the metal market had necessitated the temporary closing of the smelters and mines, and this condition must necessarily react on the coal mines, too.

After the premier had spoken the mayors of the four coast cities, Victoria, Vancouver, New Westminster and Nanaimo had the floor in the order named, and brief addresses were also delivered by H. F. W. Behnsen, M. P. P.; Col. Prior, as president of the Victoria board of trade; Jonathan Rogers, president of the board of trade of Vancouver; Mr. Shaw, president of the Nanaimo board, several of the speakers endorsing the back-to-the-land policy as one most likely to aid the country in these stirring times.

There were few important announcements, one being made by Mr. Campbell Sweeney of Vancouver, president of the Bankers' association. The attitude of the banking fraternity was that the same credits would be allowed for all forms of legitimate business during the war time as previously in times of peace. He wished it to be clearly understood that this did not apply to speculation, and new ventures would be scanned very critically.

Sir Richard McBride closed the meeting by thanking all present for their attendance.

EXPRESS ESTEEM

The Late Robert Kemp Did Many Acts of Kindness, Say Those Who Knew Him.

The following is a brief personal appreciation of the late Robert Kemp, written by Miss Stewart, chief librarian at the Carnegie library and Miss Steinberger, also of the public library:

"A few halting phrases cannot tell the crowding thoughts and deep regret of Robert Kemp's friends. He has gone out of our lives. A fact so outstanding that the suddenness of his death and the manner of it can add little to our sorrow. There remain with us whilst we live the memories of his unfailing kindness and thoughtfulness, of his great protective instinct so often expressed; of the generosity of his very big and human heart. His manifold services to all who were privileged to know him will incessantly recall him in the daily lives where he is being missed so much.

"To those who never will know him until the pen of one who realized his power gives him his place amongst the world's real people, the announcement of the tragedy at Esquimalt will mean little more than this: that a workingman lost his life whilst doing a piece of the world's necessary and dangerous work. But it means much more than this; in fact it means as much as all this, that yet another vital power for good has been quenched—one wonders why—in the world. Robert Kemp was an example and a proof; an example of what a real, pulsing, strong man should be; a proof that one can live the life of the wilderness and the prairies, of the gold-fields, city and home, and continue to be a strong man still.

He was physically splendidly fit; mentally and morally clear; keen and invigorating. He must have seen evil. His clear eyes saw so much of men and women. But he preferred to speak of the better things.

"To the hundreds who knew and loved him commentary on his life is needless, for he taught us when he was alive amongst us. "Our Bob Kemp' was so often lovingly admired when absent for the moment. It was usually after he had once again unexpectedly done something for one of us. And he could do anything. Nature had added a great brain to the great heart. Words cannot tell our grief; neither can they in any measure convey the sympathy we feel for his wife and children, who were his pride and care."

WAS AT PRINCE RUPERT

Dr. Montizambert, Director-General of Public Health for Canada, Pays Visit to City.

Dr. F. Montizambert, director-general of public health for the Dominion of Canada, arrived in the city this morning from Prince Rupert, accompanied by his daughter. He explained to the Times that his visit here was for no other reason than usual—to pay a visit to the William Head quarantine station. He had nothing to say on his trip beyond that he had seen H. M. C. S. Prince George, Canada's hospital ship, at Prince Rupert, and had been privileged in being allowed to go aboard her. She was beautifully fitted up, he explained, and had an excellent operating room, good quarters for wounded, and every facility in the way of surgical and medical appliance. There were five nurses aboard that he saw and two doctors.

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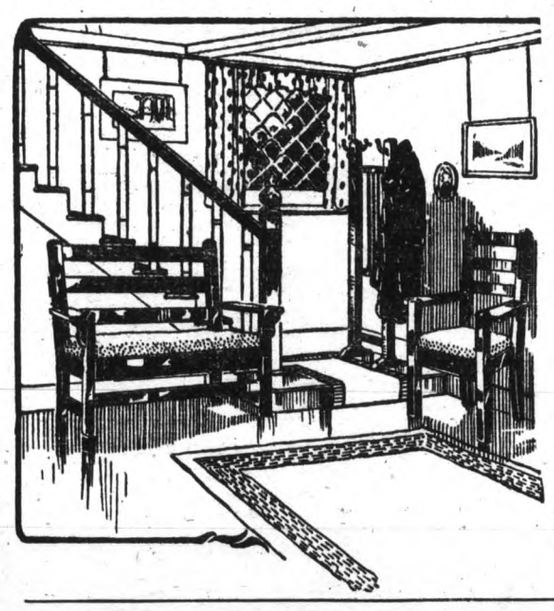

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